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SUPREME COURT CLEARS DECKS FOR WRESTLING FEDERATION ELECTIONS

The court on Tuesday overturned the stay imposed by Punjab & Haryana High Court on elections of the Wrestling Federation of India

HOW CAN HC STAY ELECTION PROCESS?

Expressing strong reservations about the stay, the bench of justices Abhay S Oka and Pankaj Mithal said, "We fail to understand how the entire process of the election could have been set at naught by HC." It directed returning officer M M Kumar, retired chief justice of J&K High Court, to proceed with the election by publishing a revised election schedule

NEXT HEARING IN HIGH COURT ON NOV 30

- Next hearing on the writ petition filed by the Haryana Wrestling Association in P&H High Court is scheduled for Thursday
- The Supreme Court, in its observations, has also made it clear that the outcome of the election will be subject to orders that may be passed by the High Court on the writ petition | P17

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TIMES WFI ELECTIONS HAVE BEEN RESCHEDULED SO FAR

CHENNAI ▪ MADURAI ▪ VIJAYAWADA ▪ BENGALURU ▪ KOCHI ▪ HYDERABAD ▪ VISAKHAPATNAM ▪ COIMBATORE ▪ KOZHIKODE ▪ THIRUVANANTHAPURAM ▪ BELAGAVI ▪ BHUBANESWAR ▪ SHIVAMOGGA ▪ MANGALURU ▪ TIRUPATI ▪ TIRUCHY ▪ TIRUNELVELI ▪ SAMBALPUR ▪ HUBBALLI ▪ DHARMAPURI ▪ KOTTAYAM ▪ KANNUR ▪ VILLUPURAM ▪ KOLLAM ▪ TADEPALLIGUDEM ▪ NAGAPATTINAM ▪ THRISSUR ▪ KALABURAGI

● NIGHTMARE ENDS FOR TRAPPED LABOURERS ● THEY CRAWL OUT ON THEIR OWN WITH A CHUTE ● RAT-HOLE MINERS MANUALLY CREATE PASSAGE ● HUMAN LABOUR BETTERS MACHINERY ● JUBILATION OUTSIDE TUNNEL

HIMALAYAN RELIEF AS ALL 41 RESCUED

1. One of the trapped labourer comes out through the rescue pipe. 2. Tunnelling expert Arnold Dix offers prayers at a makeshift temple outside the tunnel. 3. Uttarakhand CM Pushkar Dhami greets a rescued worker. 4. Rescue officials pose for group photos after the evacuation of 41 workers | PTI

NARENDRA SETHI @ Dehradun

IN the end, it was manual effort to dig through the last 10-odd metres after a US-made auger machine broke down, which opened the path to rescue all the 41 workers trapped for over a fortnight in the Silkyara tunnel in Uttarkashi district on Tuesday.

Experts and scientists from 19 leading institutions of the country participated in the rescue effort, where the nature created one hurdle after another and tested their endurance before finally yielding. The first ambulance with the rescued labourers left for a local hospital around 8 pm.

A portion of the under-construction 4.5-km Silkyara-Dandalgaon tunnel in Uttarkashi had collapsed during a landslide in the early hours of November 12, the day of Diwali. As many as 41 workers who were preparing to make an exit were trapped on the other side of the rubble. "Because of Diwali, the rest of the workers had left; else the number of those trapped could have been close to 400," the rescued labourers said.

Instead of being brought out on wheeled stretchers through the 60-metre long steel tube, the labourers chose to crawl out of it, Chief Minister Pushkar Singh Dhami said. The government announced a financial assistance of ₹1 lakh each to the rescued workers.

As the last ambulance carrying one of the rescued workers left the site, Dhami and Union minister V K Singh went to the temple of a local deity, Baba Baukhnag, to express their gratitude for his blessings. Dhami said the makeshift temple of Baba Baukhnag, located near the mouth of the Silkyara tunnel, will be rebuilt.

Locals had attributed the accident at the tunnel to the deity's anger as the original temple was demolished by the construction agency just a couple of days ahead of Diwali.

Prime Minister Narendra Modi lauded the relief workers. "Everyone involved in the mission has created an amazing example of humanity and teamwork," he posted on X. "It is a matter of great satisfaction that these friends of ours will meet their dear ones after a long wait." As for the rescued workers, he said: "I want to say to friends who were trapped in tunnel that your courage and patience is inspiration to everyone."

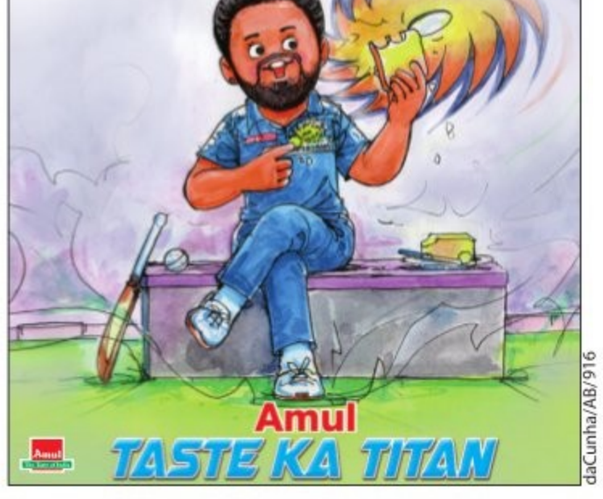
As for the Congress, its president Mallikarjun Kharge lauded the dedication, skill and perseverance of the rescue team. He urged the government to provide prompt health benefits and an appropriate compensation to the rescued workers. Kharge also demanded that a safety audit be conducted of all under-construction schemes so that a similar situation does not arise in future. P10

RAT-HOLE MINERS THE SAVIOURS

Their work may be deemed illegal, but the skills they developed in the process by working within cramped spaces helped save the 41 trapped labourers as they manually dug 10 m horizontally into the Silkyara tunnel rubble

YOUNGEST LED EXIT PROCESS

The evacuation began with youngest of workers making the exit. They were all fit and crawled out of the passage on their own, said a relieved chief minister of Uttarakhand Pushkar Singh Dhami



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'Homesick schoolboy put rat poison into water can'

V VELAYUDHAM @ Kolar

A case in which three students were taken ill on Monday after drinking water at Morarji Desai Residential School near KGF has taken a curious turn with police investigation revealing that a homesick Class 9 boy had mixed rat poison with water.

The reason for this was the student thought he could go home if the school declared a few days of holiday in the event of any untoward incident. The three students are now being treated at RL Jalappa Hospital.

KGF Superintendent of Police KM Shantharaju said the three students fell ill after they drank water kept at the administrative block of the school. After this, police registered a case under Section 328 of the IPC and launched an investigation. CONTINUED ON P4

DKS' DA CASE

Yatnal moves HC against cabinet move

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

SENIOR BJP MLA Basangouda R Patil Yatnal on Tuesday filed an intervening application in the High Court of Karnataka over the decision of the Siddaramaiah cabinet to withdraw sanction given by the previous BJP government to the CBI to prosecute DyCM DK Shivakumar for allegedly possessing assets disproportionate to his known sources of income.

Yatnal filed the application in the view of an appeal by Shivakumar, challenging the rejection of his petition by a single judge questioning the sanction given to the CBI, coming up for hearing before the division bench of Chief Justice Prasanna B Varale and Justice Krishna S Dixit on Wednesday. The decision of the cabinet is against the public interest. He filed the application to point out how the entire state machinery is involved in scuttling the investigation, Yatnal stated.

'GRIM SITUATION'

Green cover depleting fast in K'taka, TN Cauvery basin

BOSKY KHANNA @ Bengaluru

RESEARCHERS and scientists at the Indian Institute of Science (IISc) have raised an alarm over the "grim situation" in the Cauvery basin in Karnataka and Tamil Nadu.

According to them, green cover in the basin of both states has decreased drastically and the area under cultivation has increased. Because of this, the demand for water has increased in the two states.

In their report, 'Cauvery River: Land Use Dynamics Biodiversity and Hydrological Status', released on Tuesday, they explained about the decline in forest cover and increase in demand for water between 1965 and 2016. From 2016 till date, there has been a 2% increase in agricultural area and decrease in forest cover every year in both states. This led to the increase in demand for water, Prof TV Ramachandra, co-author of the report, told *TNIE*.

The final report will be released within three months. But preliminary analysis indicated that agricultural activities in the catchment areas of the Cauvery have increased. Moreover, lakes have not been desilted in both states. Because of this, their water-holding capacity has reduced, leading to the grim situation. Had the authorities desilted the lakes on a timely basis, their water-holding capacity would have increased, he said.

The natural vegetation cover reduced from 28194 sqkm to 15345 sqkm, indicating a 45.55% loss of forest cover in the last five decades. Karnataka lost 57% (9664 sqkm) and Tamil Nadu 29% (2905 sqkm). Kerala lost 27% (279 sqkm) of natural vegetation cover during the period. P5

Now, gender-neutral guide for IAS trainees

KAVITA BAJELI-DATT @ New Delhi

CRICKET may be a gentleman's game, but an agreement will no longer be a gentleman's agreement. From now, it will be known as an 'honourable agreement'.

The Central government has come out with a new handbook called Gender Inclusive Communication, which substitutes any word with 'man' in it to a gender- neutral term. This is being done to shatter stereotypes and create gender-inclusive societal environment, Union Minister for Women and Child Development Smriti Zubin Irani said on Tuesday.

This gender-neutral lexicon is being added to the curriculum of the Lal Bahadur Shastri Academy, where bureaucrats are to be trained to tackle gender biases. The handbook has been compiled by the National Gender and Child Centre, Lal Bahadur Shastri National Academy of Administration in partnership with Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation and UN Women.

"Today, the language of power has been embellished by empathy and equity because of this guide," she said. Over 80 words, including idioms and phrases, adjectives, and titles, have been given a gender-inclusive lexicon. The other changes include businessman as business person, postman as postal worker, common man as common person and actor as performer or artist. When the National Film Awards are announced, will it be for best actress or best artist?

This guide is going to impact not only the lives of citizens and administrators, but also the future, especially a future which is to be looked upon in the prism of gender justice
—Smriti Zubin Irani, Union minister

EXPRESS READ

Koppal man held for keeping Pak flag as WhatsApp status

Koppal: A 30-year-old man from Koppal has been arrested on charges of putting up the Pakistan flag as his WhatsApp sta-tus along with a speech invitation. The arrested, Rajesab Nayak, is a resident of Tavaregera, Kushatagi taluk | P5

Kerala Governor Khan refers 7 pending bills to President

T'Puram: Kerala Governor Arif Mohammed Khan on Tuesday gave his assent to the public health bill but reserved seven other pending bills, including the controversial University Amendment Bill, for presidential assent | P5

Rishab's *Kantara* wins special jury award at IFFI

Panaji: Blockbuster *Kantara* won the Special Jury Award at the 54th International Film Festival of India (IFFI) held at Panaji on Tuesday | P9

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ALMANAC TODAY
Wednesday: 29/11/2023 • Year: Shobhakruta • Ayana: Dakshinayana
Ritu: Sharad • Masa: Karthika • Paksha: Krishna • Tithi: Dwitheeya 1.21 pm
Nakshatra: Mrugashira 2.14 pm • Moon in kataka Rashi • Rahukaala: 12:00 pm to 01:30pm
Gulikakala: 10:30 am to 12:00 pm • Yamaganda: 07:30 am to 09:00 am

WEATHER
MIN 19°C | MAX 27°C
FORECAST
Passing showers. Overcast.

Sunrise 6.24 am
Sunset 5.50 pm
Moonrise 7.36 pm
Moonset 8.05 am

Accused sold 10 babies to couples in K'taka

Number of arrested increases to 8, gang bought infants from women, making them undergo IVF procedures

BABY SELLING RACKET

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

CONTINUING the investigations in the child selling racket case, the investigators have found out that the accused had sold 10 babies to childless couples in Karnataka. On Friday, the Organised Crime Wing (OCW) sleuths of the Central Crime Branch (CCB) had arrested four people including three women. After questioning them, four more women have been arrested. In all, the number of arrests has increased to eight of whom, seven are women.

The arrested are identified as Kannan Ramasaami, Hemalatha Satish, Sharanya, Murugeshwari, Mahalakshmi, Radha, Gomati and Suhasini. Seven of the accused are from Tamil Nadu.

Murugeshwari is the mother of the 20-day-old baby boy who was being traded, when the arrest took place. She had already sold two of her babies and charged Rs 2 lakh per baby. She has two more kids which she is raising on her own. The gang was selling the babies for Rs 8-10 lakhs. Police also found that doctors of three hospitals in Tamil Nadu are part of the racket as well. Of the three hospitals, two had been closed due to criminal cases against them.

The gang was buying babies from surrogate mothers and women, making them undergo IVF procedure. They also lured other women looking to abort their fetus with money, to handover their newborns. Some of the gang members worked as touts, looking for childless couples. The accused were also providing fake birth certificates to these couples naming them as the parents. All the accused have been taken into police custody for further investigations.

"The accused have confessed to have sold around 60 babies of which 10 were sold in Bengaluru. The CCB sleuths have traced the couples who have purchased the 10 babies. Action will also be initiated against the couples for buying babies illegally. The gang has been active for the last 8-10 years. Their roots are spread across Tamil Nadu, Andhra Pradesh, Telangana and Karnataka. For every baby sold, the accused were making a profit of more than Rs 8 lakhs. The CCB sleuths were working on the lead for the last one month, and arrested the accused in the guise of buyers. Mahalakshmi is the kingpin in Karnataka, and acted as an agent between the seller mother and buyer couple," said an officer part of the investigation.

The Rajarajeshwari Nagar police have registered the case.

TROOP MOVEMENT

BSF Express carrying 61 LPG cylinders from B'luru to Odisha stopped

S LALITHA @ Bengaluru

Gas cylinders offloaded from the train to truck | EXPRESS

IN a gross violation of safety norms, a special train for the Border Security Force (BSF) personnel was carrying 61 gas cylinders from Doddaballapur station in Bengaluru Railway Division to Koraput station of Odisha. The train was not allowed to depart by railway officials. The cylinders were offloaded and sent by truck back to the BSF post.

The violation was detected on November 19 on a Troop Movement train, a 20-coach train allotted just for the security personnel.

Divisional Railway Manager Yogesh Mohan told TNIE, "Carrying crackers or any inflammable substance is an offence under Section 164 of the Railway Act. The Railway system is not designed to carry any inflammable substance."

The cylinders were spread across the 20-coach train, which originated from Doddaballapur. While 18 cylinders were full, 20 were partially full and 23 empty.

In line with a recent Railway Board directive, safety checks are being intensified across railway stations and trains. "No permission was sought in connection with carrying the cylinders and we would not have given it too as it is a safety risk in a train carrying so many cylinders. They were made to offload the cylinders which were despatched by a truck to their office. Only the security personnel were allowed to travel," he said.

Record booking of ticketless passengers by Bengaluru Div. October turned out to be a special month in the history of the 42-year-old Bengaluru Railway Division. According to Senior Divisional Commercial Manager, Bengaluru Division, Krishna Chaitanya, "We booked 60,545 cases and collected over Rs 4.84 crore (Rs 4,84,45,835) in fines in October, which is the highest done in a single month in the history of the Division. Compared with the same month last year, it marks a 41.93% increase in terms of revenue. The break-up of cases is as follows: Without ticket 37,724 cases, irregular tickets 22,120 and unbooked luggage 701 cases. "This was possible due to an all-out effort by all the staff in the Commercial Division. Travelling Ticket Examiners achieved more than the target set for them," he added.

3-day B'luru Tech Summit kicks off today

ENS @ Bengaluru

THE three-day Bengaluru Tech Summit (BTS) 2023 kicks off today (Wednesday) with the focal theme of "Breaking Boundaries" - Innovation from India, Impact for the World.

Experts from across the globe are expected to participate in the summit which is set to display its largest exhibition this year. Multi-track conferences on IT and electronics, deep tech, startups, biotech, international exhibition, global innovation alliance, India-USA tech conclave, R&D-Lab2Market, B2B meetings, STPI IT export awards, smart bio awards, VC awards, ATF awards, rural IT quiz and bio quiz will be held.

However, the highlight of the summit will be the Chandrayaan-3 ISRO-Industry Pavilion, which will unveil the next frontier for the country's space sector. The summit promises over 75 sessions, 400 speakers, 350 startups, 600 exhibitors and 20,000 business attendees.

EXPRESS READ

BOM opens 40th branch

The Bank of Maharashtra (BOM) opened the bank's 40th branch in the city at Hebbal. Former Supreme Court Judge V Gopalagowda inaugurated it. "It will cater to all basic banking transactions along with the specific needs of the customers and will offer the entire range of banking products and financial services covering retail, agriculture and MSME sectors," said Y Srinivas, Zonal Head of Bengaluru. "The new branch will fulfil the commitment to providing banking services to retail customers through a fast-expanding network of branches in the area," he said.

ULBs get ₹2,000 cr for swachh matters

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

CM Siddaramaiah inaugurates the 17th International Municipal-23 Conference at Palace Grounds in Bengaluru on Tuesday. DyCM DK Shivakumar and BBMP Chief Commissioner Tushar Girinath look on | NAGARAJA GADEKAL

DEPUTY Chief Minister DK Shivakumar said it has been decided in the cabinet meeting to allocate around Rs 2,000 crore for garbage disposal, cleanliness and hygiene protection.

He said the local bodies will use the funds to develop infrastructure for solid waste management, sewage treatment, water supply and upkeep of cleanliness. "Local bodies must adhere to the National Green Tribunal's guidelines to urban local bodies on scientific disposal of waste, sewage treatment and cleanliness," the DCM said and instructed the urban local bodies to strictly monitor the unsystematic disposal of construction waste, which was becoming a menace in cities.

He was speaking after inaugurating the exhibition of the 17th International Municipal-23 Conference titled 'Municipalika', held at Palace Grounds on Tuesday, in which 316 urban local body officials from Karnataka and representatives of local bodies from other states participated to share the best practices for sustainable development of municipalities. Raising the issue of violation of building plans, the DCM said, "Some people get permission to build one-storey building, but construct four-storey building. Officials must identify such buildings. They should not succumb to political pressures and must properly identify property values and collect taxes."

While addressing the gathering, CM Siddaramaiah said 38 per cent of people now live in the municipality and urban limits, and the government must provide water supply, sewage network, power and transport.

Spreading aroma: Local bodies turn floral waste into agarbattis

MOHAMMED YACOOB @ Bengaluru

AT the 3-day 17th International Conference and Exhibition 'Municipalika-2023' held at Palace Grounds in the city, the Belagavi City Corporation (BCC) and Chittapura Town Municipal Corporation (CTMC) grab visitors' attention with their initiative of turning floral waste collected from temple, dargah and markets into agarbattis (incense sticks).

Sheetal Ramatheertha, senior health inspector, BCC, said that around 300 kilos of floral waste is generated daily in the corporation limits. This is collected and ground to be reduced to 50 kilos, at a facility in the Ashoka Nagar Wholesale Flower Market, Belagavi. Once reduced, it is processed into aromatic agarbattis and sold by Self Help Groups.

Assistant Executive Engineer, Environment, BCC, HV Kaladagi said, the facility was inaugurated by Subash B Adi, former Upalokayukta and chairperson of National Green Tribunal four months ago. "The floral waste that would usually end up in landfills, was being collected separately, and was reduced to powder. Along with flower powder, wood gum and glycol are used to make about 20,000 incense sticks, daily," he said.

The SHGs are being helped with raw materials like flower powder to make the agarbatti, added the official. He further stated that it cost about Rs 2 lakh for BCC to install a grinding machine, agarbatti rolling machine and to set up the shed. "The SHGs have to pay only for electricity and purchase their own bamboo sticks, as the corporation is taking care of raw material. These incense sticks are then given to companies," he said and added that the Saundatti Yellamma Temple officials have contacted them for the agarbattis.

Home Guards find gold ring in Metro, return it

S LALITHA @ Bengaluru

THANKS to the alert and honest homeguards of the Bangalore Metro Rail Corporation Limited (BMRCL), a bank employee, who had lost her gold ring worth over Rs 30,000 during a metro ride on Monday evening on the crowded purple line, got it back on Tuesday.

Divya Priyadarshini, employed as an Associate at State Bank of India's Hoskote branch, regularly takes the Metro from Krantivira Sangolli Rayanna Metro station to Benniganahalli station, from where she takes a bus to her office. She told TNIE, "I was returning from work on Monday in a jam-packed train. As I was leaving KSR Metro station, I realised the ring was missing and approached the customer care and told them I might have lost it in the train. I was directed to the Station Controller, who assured me that they would do their best to find it and a message would be relayed to all the stations.

Homeguards Shilpa G R & Eshwaramma

Homeguards Shilpa G R and Eshwaramma, who had spotted a ring embedded with stones near the Ladies Coach on a train when it stopped at Platform 2 of Benniganahalli Metro station on Monday around 6.45 pm, handed it over to the Assistant Safety Officer, BMRCL, K N Rajanna.

On Monday night, Divya received a call about a ring that was found at Bennigenahalli station and was asked to identify if it were hers and produce some proof of purchase. The following morning she visited the control room of the station and presented pictures of the ring on her phone. "I was happy to find that the ring was indeed mine," she said.

Shivarajkumar, DKS call on ailing actress Leelavathi

Bengaluru: Actor Shivarajkumar and DyCM DK Shivakumar were among the dignitaries who visited ailing actress Leelavathi at her house in Soladevanahalli near Nelamangala on Tuesday. Leelavathi is suffering from age-related ailments. Shivarajkumar, who met Leelavathi along with his wife Geetha, told reporters that the veteran actress could identify him. She has the strength to endure pain even at this age. It is painful to see her in this state, he said, comforting Leelavathi's actor son Vinod Raj. Shivakumar said paying heed to Leelavathi's request, he had come to inaugurate Dr Leelavathi Veterinary Hospital. "Leelavathi only earned name and fame, but not money in the film industry. Without getting any financial help or CSR fund, she managed to build the hospital," Shivakumar said. The government is contemplating providing pension to co-artistes and technicians who work behind the screen. "Through the KFCC, Leelavathi had requested the government to give pension to them," Shivakumar said, adding that he will take it up with the chief minister soon.

Daily Starscope

PETER VIDAL

29TH November: Have you heard the latest news that there's more water than anyone thought possible out there in the universe? We've just found a planet the size of the Sun entirely covered in water. Who knows what sort of sea creatures inhabit such a world. I wonder if we will ever find out? I hope so!

ARIES (Mar 21 - Apr. 20)
It's time to make room for a whole new cycle of pleasure and sensation. The fact is that the entire disposition of your solar chart inclines towards self-indulgence, no matter what commitments you have taken on. That doesn't mean that you won't have practical burdens to bear, just that you should deal with them with an optimistic spirit.

TAURUS (Apr. 21 - May 21)
Professional acclaim will soon boost the confidence of those of you currently pursuing serious ambitions. You will do very well if you present yourself as the representative of tradition and authority, and other people seem inclined to accept your version of events.

GEMINI (May 22 - June 21)
Business associates are inclined to be muddled, increasingly so, for a few days. You may therefore like to think ahead, anticipate difficulties and take evasive action. Keep control of the domestic accounts, and try to reach a calculated consensus.

CANCER (June 22 - July 23)
Someone, somewhere, is behaving very strangely, perhaps mysteriously so. However, looking at all the interconnections between the planets, it may be that this particular person is acting true to character, but that your perception of the situation has changed.

LEO (July 24 - Aug. 23)
You may now be considering implementing certain changes and, in truth, only you can judge whether the current time is right for you, or if you should wait a little while longer. Your main consideration is that others are kept up-to-date and properly informed.

VIRGO (Aug. 24 - Sept. 23)
It is undoubtedly time for a complete fresh start at work. This doesn't necessarily imply a change of job, only that you leave behind those bad habits which have prevented you making the most of yourself in the past. It's about time a friend saw the real you as well.

LIBRA (Sept. 24 - Oct. 23)
Whatever the next few weeks hold in store for you, you can be sure that the outcome will be as desired. This is a public time, which means you should play your full part in the world and keep your social diary full. If your engagements are altered at a moment's notice, don't complain, but go with it.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24 - Nov. 22)
Aside from all the psychological ramifications of today's brilliant alignments, there is one very specific interpretation: a healthy increase in your earnings as a result of all past efforts to achieve status and promotion. Let us hope that the promise of the stars is fulfilled!

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23 - Dec. 22)
One stunning group of planets denoting long-distance travel lines up with another revealing the need for partnership. The ideal way to express your remarkable planetary potential is to set off around the world in search of the party that never stops!

CAPRICORN (Dec. 23 - Jan. 20)
There is every chance that you will be taking on new responsibilities, and that these will be closely bound up with your financial situation. Any new money won't be yours to spend as you please, but could come with very strong strings attached.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 - Feb. 19)
You are not blind to whatever has been going on behind your back, but neither need you do anything about it. In all matters of the heart your position is virtually unassailable, and any ground you yield now will be restored later. What you have to do, though, is pick the right partners and avoid the wrong people.

PISCES (Feb. 20 - Mar 20)
Both personally and professionally, today could be a turning point, but it does seem to be home and family affairs which are most important. One thing is certain, only you know what is best, so don't let others impose their ideas on you.

Solutions to Yesterday's puzzle

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5	8	3	6	4	9	1	7	2
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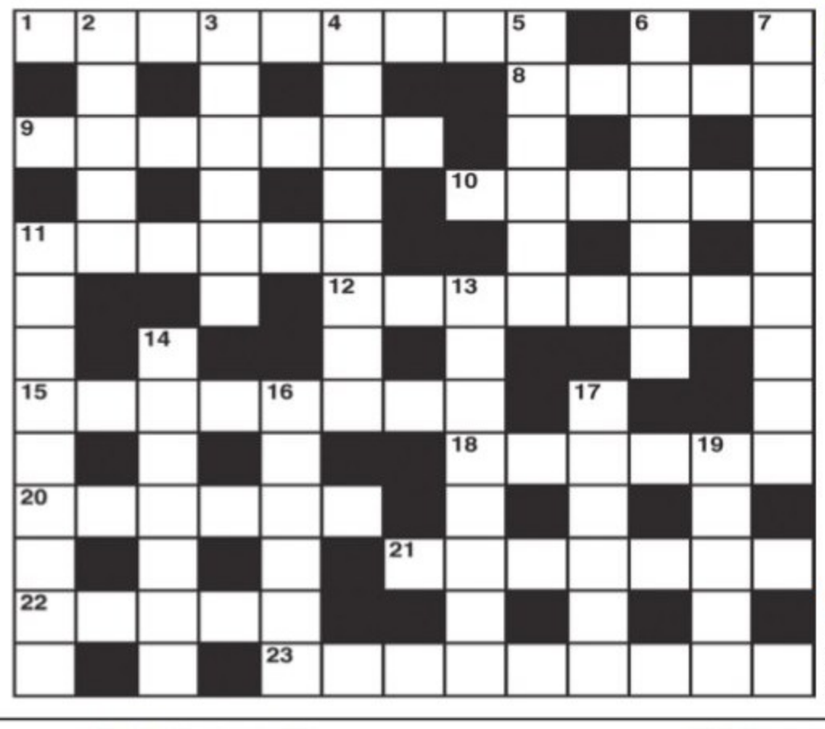
SUDOKU HARD

TEST YOUR NUMBER CRUNCHING SKILL WITH OUR UNIQUE PUZZLE

■ Fill in the grid with digits in such a manner that every row, every column and every 3X3 box accommodates the digits 1 to 9, without repeating any.



CROSS WORD

ACROSS
1 Stands up for the top players (9)
8 Be quick! (5)
9 Is unable to arrive at a harmonious composition (7)
10 The price of freedom? (6)
11 Changing colour and passing away audibly (6)
12 Prepare to create a scene (8)
15 He has yet to meet his match (8)
18 Doctors adopt stern plans (6)
20 Uncommonly haughty (6)
21 Music room (7)
22 Deserted area is in a bad way (5)
23 Presses on to obtain answers (9)

DOWN
2 Highly intoxicating (5)
3 There's some point in this system (6)
4 Possibly relating to the whole (8)
5 Teased about being serious (6)
6 Traipse around for some money (7)
7 Frantic steps made when animals panic (9)
11 Certainly not like Thomas (9)
13 Severe trouble encountered in a difficult craft (8)
14 Achieving success with the orchestration (7)
16 Claire makes a cake (6)
17 Server of drinks carried a gun during prohibition (6)
19 The main idea of work perhaps (5)

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTIONS

Across: 1 Reserve, 4 Quits, 7 Airs, 8 Curators, 10 Harvesters, 12 Bestir, 13 Sprain, 15 Plasterers, 18 Aptitude, 19 Cain, 20 Demur, 21 Senator.

Down: 1 Reach, 2 Surprise, 3 Equity, 4 Quadruplet, 5 Icon, 6 Session, 9 Legislator, 11 Make fast, 12 Brigand, 14 Asides, 16 Senor, 17 Stem.

JUMBLE

UNSCRAMBLE THESE JUMBLES, ONE LETTER TO EACH SQUARE, TO FORM FOUR ORDINARY WORDS.

BY DAVID L. HOYT AND JEFF KNUREK

ZOAOK

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KROMES

KELWYE

EMPLOYEES AT THE TIMEPIECE FACTORY ARRIVED AT THE JOB EACH MORNING ---

Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon.

(Answers tomorrow)

Yesterday's Jumbles: BLURB DRINK GAMING BONNET
Answer: William McReavy received a patent for his jackhammer because it was — GROUNDBREAKING

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A 19-year-old youth was brutally murdered in his sleep by miscreants in Maddur taluk in the wee hours of Tuesday. Shivananda was murdered at his residence in Mallaiah Nagar in Kuduragundi village. He was first strangulated with a rope and later attacked with machetes. Maddur police are investigating the case.

Foeticide case: 242 abortions in 3 months, 9 held 2 on run

Looking into involvement of bureaucrats for permission to use machine: Commissioner

City Police Commissioner Dayananda B addresses the media after the arrest of accused in sex determination racket, in Bengaluru on Tuesday | NAGARAJA GADEKAL

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THE Byappanahalli police have arrested nine people in the sex determination and female foeticide case. In the last three months, the accused have performed 242 illegal abortions.

Speaking to the media on Tuesday, city police commissioner B Dayananda said that the case is under investigation for the last 45 days. "On Oct 15, the Byappanahalli police during a vehicle checking drive observed suspicious movement of a car. When the suspects sped without stopping, the police chased and caught them. When the suspects were questioned, the racket came to light. Of the nine arrested are two doctors, three lab technicians/compounders, two agents, one hospital manager and a receptionist. Police are yet to arrest two more agents," the commissioner said.

The accused are from Mysuru and Mandya. The two doctors own hospitals at Udayagiri in Mysuru. Of the two doctors, one is a pediatrician. The other medico is an ayurvedic doctor and his wife, who was the hospital's manager is another accused in the case. They were performing sex determination and abortion in the hospitals and also at a jaggery production unit in Mandya. Two ultrasound scanning machines have been seized from the accused.

Two of the accused are from Honnali who were working as agents and they are the ones who had provided the scanning machines. These two were also involved in a kidnap case.

They had maintained a register showing 242 illegal abortions of female fetuses in the last three months. For every abortion, they were charging between Rs 20,000 and Rs 25,000. For sex determination, they were charging Rs 5,000.

"As per the guidelines, the ultrasound scanning machines have to be given to a registered doctor after obtaining permission from the District Health Officer (DHO) or the officials concerned. There are clear violations in the guidelines. We are checking if any bureaucrats are involved in granting permission for the accused to use the machine. All the accused are in police custody, and are being interrogated," added the commissioner.

The arrested doctors were allegedly involved for more than three years and have reportedly determined the sex of over 2,000 fetuses and conducted around 900 abortions.

Families forcing tests should also be punished, say experts

NAMRATA SINDWANI @ Bengaluru

AS patriarchal dominance persists in Indian society, families continue to force pregnant women to undergo sex determination tests to ensure the foetus is not female.

Beyond medical practitioners, experts blame these families who drive doctors to perform such tests and demand that they be punished too.

Dr Chandrika BR, Deputy Director (family planning), said the social stigma of a girl child being a family burden continues to exist in society. "Families who want to know the sex of the baby drive professionals to perform such tests in secret, solely for extra income. However, the families are let off the hook when it comes to punishment."

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> - Dr Usha BK, Neonatologist

Recently, a sex determination and female foeticide racket was busted by police who alleged that 900 unauthorised abortions were performed in the state.

As the total fertility rate (TFR) in the state has reduced over time, it raises concerns over a decline in population and low female sex ratio, if such activities continue in the next 15-20 years, doctors explained.

Dr Usha BK, neonatologist and associate professor at the Atal Bihari Vajpayee Medical College and Research Institute, said that irrespective of their financial status, families are usually disappointed after a baby girl is born.

"When news that a boy is born is announced, parents celebrate but if it's a girl, the reaction is often unpleasant. Families need to be blamed, but medical professionals are more responsible for conducting these tests," Dr Usha said.

Highlighting the issues faced by officials and police in identifying such rackets, Vivek Dorai, Deputy Director, Pre-Conception and Prenatal Diagnostics Techniques (PCPNDT), said doctors who seek to make more money do these tests in farmhouses or factories, which makes it hard to detect. Despite regular investigations, it becomes difficult for officials to find any evidence against the doctors or families, to register a case.

ADMIRING ART

Students look at cartoons displayed at an exhibition on pollution at Chitrakala Parishath in Bengaluru on Tuesday | SHASHIDHAR BYRAPPA

EXPRESS READ

Contractor Ambikapathy died due to stress following arrest, raids: Assn president

Bengaluru: Following the death of Karnataka State Contractors' Association Vice President R Ambikapathy due to a heart attack on Monday, association president D Kempanna has stated that his death was due to stress following the arrest and I-T raids. Speaking to TNIE, Kempanna said that after his release on bail (in connection with a defamation case), Ambikapathy had come to the association office at Chamarajpet. He cried and said that he did not expect this kind of treatment. "Again after the IT raids, he claimed innocence and had told me that he suspects someone else would have kept the money," the association president added. "Ambikapathy was suffering from poor health. He had undergone a kidney transplant in Sri Lanka. The arrest and IT raids later caused a lot of mental stress, due to which he suffered a heart attack and died," he charged.

Fake audio clips: Bescom official files complaint

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A 50-year-old senior Bescom official filed a complaint against a user of 'X' in connection with fake audio clips and unverified news against Energy Minister KJ George concerning the alleged Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) being signed with the Telangana state government. The complainant said that an fake audio clip is being circulated. The complaint was filed on Tuesday in the East CEN police station, by KAS officer CN Manjunath.

The Energy Minister's office released a statement that it was a desperate act by the opposition to tarnish Congress party's and the minister's image in the eye of the public. A criminal case has been registered against the user, under the IT Act, 2000 and IPC sections as well. Further investigations are on.

7 Nepalis arrested for theft at house of Rockline Venkatesh's brother

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ONE month after the theft at producer Rockline Venkatesh's brother's residence, the police have arrested a gang of seven Nepalis and have recovered valuables worth Rs 1.53 crores, including 3 kgs of gold. The arrested are identified as Upendra, Nara Bahadur, Khakendra Shahi, Komal, Swastika, Parvathi and Shadala.

The accused had stolen nearly five kgs of gold ornaments and cash from the residence in Mahalakshmi Layout. The theft had taken place between Oct 21 and 29, at the residence of 58-year-old TN Bramaresh, when he and his family had gone for a vacation in Greece.

The robbery came to light after the family returned from the vacation.

Along with the gold ornaments, the accused had stolen cash of Rs6.1 lakh. The accused have broken open the almirahs for the robbery.

"Of the accused, one of them was working as a security guard in an under construction building adjacent to the residence. The gang had observed the victim's movements for over a month and waited for the family to go for the vacation before committing the crime. The main accused, Upendra, is a habitual offender and has more than 10 cases against him with the city police," said an officer.

City Police Commissioner B Dayananda while briefing about the arrests advised public to be careful while going out for long durations. He added that the local police can be informed about the same.

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Mysuru-Kodagu MP Prathap Simmha on Tuesday claimed he will win the 2024 Lok Sabha election with a margin of two lakh votes. He added that he is the BJP candidate from the constituency and admirers of PM Narendra Modi will vote for him. He also said the BJP's alliance with JDS has strengthened the party's prospects in the polls

SIDDU, DKS DEFEND GOVT ADVERTISING GUARANTEE SCHEMES IN POLL-BOUND TS

But advertisements have been stopped, says Chief Minister

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@ Bengaluru

AFTER an Election Commission of India notice to the Congress government, Chief Minister Siddaramaiah and Deputy Chief Minister DK Shivakumar on Tuesday defended the state government's decision to advertise its guarantee schemes in poll-bound Telangana.

The advertisements highlighted the government's achievements on guarantee schemes that are reaching the poor. They are not for seeking votes, the CM and DyCM said.

While Shivakumar said the government will respond to the EC notice, Siddaramaiah said the advertisements have been stopped after EC objected.

They maintained that it is not a violation of the election code of conduct, but still stopped the advertisements after EC directions. The notice was issued after BJP complained to the poll panel against the advertisements.

Shivakumar said that nowhere in the advertisements has it been mentioned that the voter should pick candidates from Congress or any other party. "The advertisement has details of our works. How is it considered a violation," he wondered.

He said leaders from other parties are spreading fake news that the Karnataka government has not implemented guarantee schemes. "We have given ads in newspapers and magazines that go to Telangana, Tamil Nadu and other states. We have not sought votes. We will reply to the Election Commission's notice," he added. The ECI had taken a serious view of the Karnataka government placing the advertisements in newspapers in poll-bound Telangana. The commission termed it a gross violation of the election code of conduct.

Chief Minister Siddaramaiah and Deputy Chief Minister DK Shivakumar have been extensively campaigning for the Congress in poll-bound Telangana | NAGARAJA GADEKAL

BJP slams Congress govt for misusing state funds

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BJP slammed the state government for misusing government funds to place advertisements on guarantee schemes in poll-bound Telangana.

The Leader of the Opposition in the Assembly R Ashoka alleged that the Congress government failed to effectively implement all its five guarantee schemes, but was spending funds for advertisements. The BJP leader said the government was slammed by the Election Commission of India too.

In a series of posts on X, Ashoka said the Congress is emptying the state's coffers. "This government, which has become a bane to Kannadigas, is trying to garner a good image for itself in the neighbouring state. This is unfortunate. On one side, it is telling people that it does not have money to take up development works, while on the other, it is trying to empty the state's treasury by funding ads in other states," he said.

Ashoka further alleged that right from day one, the Congress government is giving only excuses on implementating its guarantee schemes. The party has cheated Kannadigas. They are placing many conditions on the implementation. "On that note, the government has lied that it has implemented all five guarantees, and the same has been given as ads, which is an insult to every Kannadiga," he alleged.

Karnataka Rajya Raita Sangha and Hasiru Sene members stage a protest in Haveri on Tuesday, demanding drought relief | EXPRESS

Forum urges govt to release aid for crop loss

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@ Bengaluru

THE Federation of Farmers Association in the state has urged Chief Minister Siddaramaiah to immediately provide compensation for crop loss due to drought.

In a memorandum submitted to the Chief Minister, the federation also asked the government to come up with a policy to provide 10% reservation in government jobs to girls marrying farmers.

Federation president Kuruburu Shantakumar said during their visits to drought-hit areas in the state, they noticed that farmers suffered huge losses due to drought, but have not received any compensation from the government.

HEMAVATHI PROJECT

971 illegal land allotments cancelled

BR UDAYA KUMAR @ Hassan

FINALLY, the three-decade-old multi-crore land scam of the Hemavathi rehabilitation project seems to be reaching its logical end.

The Hassan district administration has cancelled 971 illegal land allotments made to alleged bogus beneficiaries in the guise of rehabilitation under the project.

A fact-finding committee, comprising senior officials including the then assistant commissioners Kavita Rajaram and Dr Ngaraj and the project executive engineer, investigated the scandal and submitted a report recommending action against erring officials following directions from Mohamed Mohisin, director, land and records.

Based on the report, then deputy commissioner Girish had submitted a detailed report to the principal secretary of the Revenue Department. The district crime branch police served notices to 210 revenue employees in various capacities, including four assistant commissioners, 38 tahsildars, four special land acquisition officers, 21 deputy tahsildars, 33 revenue inspectors and 26 first-division assistants, who served between 2005 and 2019, for their alleged involvement in the scam.

The fact-finding report stated that the officials had sanctioned land parcels after allegedly collaborating with bogus land owners and middlemen. Sources said the revenue officials had sanctioned over 3,000 acres, including 2,000 acres of forest land, to bogus beneficiaries. The police are now in a dilemma to act against the alleged bogus beneficiaries. Deputy Commissioner C Satyabhama said the district administration has decided to take the issue to its logical end and there is no question of neglecting this long-pending issue. Revenue Minister Krishna Byregowda, who visited Hassan recently, said the state government is looking at the issue seriously and senior officials have been directed to take strict action against officials who have been found guilty.

The Chikkamagaluru district administration has cancelled the allotment of over 6,000 acres of land illegally granted based on bogus records in Kadur and Mudigere taluks, he added.

Bogus applications filed under bagair hukum scheme

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The revenue department has begun a process to detect bogus applications to get land regularised under bagair hukum -- farming by landless people on government land.

"We are digitising land records to make the department completely paper-free," Revenue Minister Krishna Byre Gowda said, and directed officials to link Aadhaar with the applicants to know if they are eligible to avail of the land. Gowda said a large number of people who had applied are not eligible.

He directed officials to complete the disposal of applications under bagair hukum. "In 2017, we had amended the law and regularised farming on government land for landless people who had taken up cultivation. Under this, 9.29 lakh applications claiming 54 lakh acres of land are pending before the state government. These applications were filed for regularisation, and it is our priority to dispose of them," he said.

"We have Aadhaar details of the applicants. The tahasildars are verifying how much land they own and if they are eligible to apply under this law. We are also using satellite images to check if cultivation is happening. We will give this to the Bagair Hukum committee to take a decision," he added.

The minister said this is for people who don't have their own land. "Even if they do, it should not be more than 4 acres. Many people, knowingly or unknowingly, are cultivating government land and this needs to be regularised. Many ineligible people have also applied. The law is for poor but many are trying to misuse it. Rich people with acres of land have applied," Gowda said.

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> Krishna Byre Gowda, Revenue Minister

The process of disposing of applications is being streamlined and committees headed by MLAs have been told to digitise meetings. There are cases where meetings were conducted in the absence of MLAs. He also said they have received applications from 50 taluks, seeking constitution of Bagair Hukum committees, which will be done in the next few weeks. Gowda also pointed that Rs 50 lakh is needed for each tahsildar's office for complete digitisation.

IN ONE VOICE

Activists and civil society members hold a protest against the Centre's policies at Freedom Park in Bengaluru on Tuesday | NAGARAJA GADEKAL

Sham Bhat's appointment as rights panel chief under fire

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@ Bengaluru

THERE is much resentment, anger and frustration over former BDA and KPSC chairman **T Sham Bhat**'s appointment as a member of the Human Rights Commission by the state government.

A senior Congress leader, who wished not to be identified, said, "Remember, they appointed him KPSC chairman and see what happened. Some 361 talented innocent aspirants had to wander in the wilderness for many years because of corruption in the KPSC exams. Everyone knows who was responsible. The Human Rights Commission is one place where so much can be done."

Aam Aadmi Party state president Mukhyamantri Chandru strongly condemned Bhat's appointment. He said, "People of the state were fed up with the corrupt BJP government and they chose Congress for a peaceful life. But the Siddaramaiah government has eroded their trust by appointing Bhat, a controversial figure accused of several corruption charges."

He said, "When Bhat was Bangalore Development Authority commissioner, he abused his power by amending the layout plan of a housing society without the consent of the original allottees. He is also known for corruption running into several crores of rupees in BDA. It is not welcome that he has been given this position now."

He alleged, "During his first term as CM, Siddaramaiah had appointed Bhat as Karnataka Public Service Commission chairman. There were allegations of widespread corruption in the commission during his tenure. Now the question is whether he will protect human rights in the state. It is evident that he will again misuse his position and indulge in corruption."

The Karnataka Rashtra Samithi party demanded that Bhat's appointment be withdrawn immediately. "The officer is corrupt and tainted. He faces serious allegations of corruption," it alleged.

Not consulted on board appointments, says Dr G

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AS senior Congress leaders, including Chief Minister Siddaramaiah, Deputy Chief Minister DK Shivakumar and AICC General Secretary Randeep Singh Surjewala, were holding a series of meetings to decide on appointments to boards and corporations, Home Minister Dr G Parameshwara said he was not consulted on the appointments.

He told reporters that the party leaders have not asked his opinion on these appointments. It would have been good if they had sought his views, as he had worked as KPCC president for eight years, he added.

DyCM and KPCC president DK Shivakumar, meanwhile, said two to three rounds of consultations are complete and the final list will be sent to Delhi after their meeting on Tuesday. Chief Minister Siddaramaiah, however, said the appointment process is in initial stages and they have not finalised the list yet.

Responding to a question, Parameshwara said he has asked the police commissioner to probe allegations made by a Congress worker that he had paid money to the Home Minister.

Parameshwara said he was aware of the audio clip in which allegations were made and the police will investigate.

Sleuths study data, bust tax evasion racket

ENS @ Bengaluru

DATA analytics has helped tax sleuths bust an evasion racket involving over Rs 350 crore, and recover dues of Rs 64 crore. "It is analysis of bills where there is only one-way movement, and helped us bust a massive tax evasion racket. A similar network was busted about two months ago, again with the help of data analytics," said sources.

Thanks to this massive expose, GST collection for November will be larger. Explaining the scam, sources said, "Iron and steel dealers using fake input tax credit had been a major worry for the authorities, as they had evaded tax running into hundreds of crores."

Commercial Tax Commissioner C Shikha refused to reveal details of those involved int the racket. She said they were using input tax credit from dealers whose registrations had been suspended, and they had used names of entities that were clever fakes, and were defrauding the system. In some cases, sleuths found they had used fraudulent documents of genuine firms, and her team had used data analytics and other means of information gathering.

Sources said the department had some information about fishy goings on and decided to track transactions. They said two were arrested eight weeks ago and both were produced before court and remanded in judicial custody.

Shikha said the racket could be larger and they were still probing the details. Asked about penal clauses, she said fake invoicing is a serious crime and penalties can range from fines to confiscation of goods, attachment of properties and bank accounts, and even imprisonment.

Boy sent to rehab centre

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THE investigation revealed that the Class 9 boy, who returned to the residential school on Monday after spending a few days at his house, brought rat poison from home and put it into the water can kept at the administrative block. Usually, students do not go there to drink water. But on that fateful day, the three students drank water from that can and fell ill, he said.

The police zeroed in on the boy after some employees of the school stated that he was loitering in the administrative block on that day, Shantharaju said. After informing his parents, the boy was produced before the local Juvenile Justice Board, which sent him to a rehabilitation centre for counselling, he said. "The boy doesn't want to be an inmate of the residential school," he said.

EXPRESS READ

12 patents in 5 years at agri varsities: Min

Bengaluru: Stressing on research at the agriculture universities in Karnataka, Agriculture Minister N Chaluvarayaswamy said that in the last five years, agri scientists got only 12 patents. "The rating on our research papers by the National Academy of Agricultural Sciences (NAAS) is between 132 and 133, and there is a need to address these aspects," he said. Chaluvarayaswamy said there is a need to foster research in agriculture to help farmers improve yield and living. He directed academics to work on improving varsities, ensure less usage of chemicals, control pesticides, guidance for farmers in the time of climate changes and other works.

Cong MLA expresses dismay over Byre Gowda's remarks, seeks inquiry

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DIFFERENCES with the ruling Congress leaders in Karnataka has once again come to the fore. Senior Congress leader and Aland MLA BR Patil urged Chief Minister Siddaramaiah to order a probe into allegations made against him by Revenue Minister Krishna Byre Gowda.

In a letter to the CM, Patil stated that works in his constituency that were given to the Karnataka Rural Infrastructure Development Limited (formerly Karnataka Land Army Corporation Limited) were not completed or were of substandard quality. The works were awarded to the Land Army Corporation to avoid the delays in tender process, he said.

Patil said he had raised the issue in the last session of the Assembly. In the absence of RDPR Minister Priyank Kharge, Revenue Minister Krishna Byre Gowda responded to his question. The minister got into an argument with him and even questioned why the works were given to the Rural Infrastructure Development Limited, Patil said. The minister made allegations against him and and cast aspersions on him, the MLA said, and added that he had protested against the minister's remarks in the House.

Priyank Kharge also did not hold a meeting to review the works, he said. Patil said if he attends the winter session in Belagavi from December 4 to 15, it will be like accepting the allegations made against him by the minister. He urged the CM to order the probe to find out the truth and clear him from the allegations. If the allegations against him are proven, he will resign from the Assembly membership, Patil stated in his letter to the CM.

On Tuesday evening, CM Siddaramaiah said he had not received the letter from the MLA. BJP said the Congress MLA has openly expressed displeasure about ministers Krishna Byre Gowda and Priyank Kharge.

The Supreme Court on Tuesday dismissed the bail plea moved by Tamil Nadu Minister and Dravida Munnetra Kazhagam leader V Senthil Balaji on his health grounds, in an Enforcement Directorate -registered case

Arif refers 7 pending Bills to President, gives assent to one

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@T'Puram

IN an apparent political move on the eve of the Supreme Court considering the Kerala government's petition alleging inordinate delay by the Raj Bhavan in clearing legislative Bills, **Governor Arif Mohammed Khan** reserved seven of the eight pending bills for Presidential assent, and granted his nod to the remaining one.

The Bills referred to the President include the controversial Lok Ayukta (Amendment) Bill.

Khan, who has been accused of inordinately "sitting over" the Bills, made the swift move as the Supreme Court had recently ruled that governors do not have the power to veto legislative actions of elected governments or sit indefinitely on the Bills duly passed by the state legislature. While considering the Kerala government's plea last Friday, the Supreme Court had asked the Raj Bhavan to refer to the recent judgment passed in the case related to the Punjab governor's inaction on Bills. The lone bill that received the governor's assent is the Kerala Public Health Bill.

Khan had withheld assent after a section of traditional medicine practitioners reportedly approached him stating that the legislation was discriminatory in nature. Prominent among the Bills that have been referred to the President are two University Law (Amendment) Bills to replace the governor as the Chancellor of universities in the state. The controversial bills were passed by the state legislature on 13 December last year. Another Bill that has been referred to the President is The Lok Ayukta (Amendment) Bill, according to which the assembly and not the governor would be the competent authority to consider any unfavourable decision by the Lok Ayukta against the chief minister.

Campaigning ends in TS, polls tomorrow

Congress MP Rahul Gandhi takes a ride in an autorickshaw after interacting with gig workers in Hyderabad on Tuesday | EXPRESS

I HAVE 1 WISH: MAKE TS NO. 1, SAYS KCR

HYDERABAD: Telangana CM K Chandrasekhar Rao promised he would boost Gajwel's glory if people bless and give him another chance. He promised that the development of Gajwel would see new heights this time. Addressing a rally in Gajwel, he said, "I have only one wish. I am 70. Posts are not important. I served as CM for 10 years. Telangana should become the best state in the country."

Sonia appeals to 'family' in TS

HYDERABAD: Former AICC chief Sonia Gandhi appealed to the people to bring down 'Dorala Telangana' (BRS) and elect 'Prajala Telangana' (Congress) to fulfil the dreams and aspirations of the people. Sonia released a video message to the people on the last day of campaigning. It was during her tenure as UPA chairperson that Sonia took the decision to carve out Telangana fulfilling the decades-long demand of the people of the region. In the video clip, Sonia recalled how people affectionately called her as *Soniamma*.

'Catchment areas saw rise in agri activities'

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The report stated that the catchment areas witnessed a drastic increase in agriculture and allied activities. In Tamil Nadu, the area under irrigation increased from 6556 sqkm (13.8%) to 20233 sqkm (42.7%) till this decade. In Karnataka's, the area under irrigation also increased from 1193 sqkm (3.42%) to 8497 sqkm (24.3%).

The demand for water also increased over the years. In Tamil Nadu, it increased from 429 tmcft to 573 tmcft and in Karnataka, from 72 tmcft to 171 tmcft till 1971.

The report stated that there has been no change in vegetation in Pushpagiri Wildlife Sanctuary. But the anthropogenic pressure due to commercial crops has transformed major forests in buffer regions. Similar is the case with Talacauvery Wildlife Sanctuary. Brahmagiri Wildlife Sanctuary saw a reduction in evergreen forest cover from 93.33% to 87.66%.

Bandipur and Nagarahole Tiger reserves saw a decline of 15.19% and 11% of forest cover, respectively, with buffer areas recording an increase in horticulture activities and human habitation. BRT Tiger Reserve saw a decline in evergreen and deciduous forest cover and an increase in scrub forests.

The captured tiger at Chamundi Animal Conservation, Rescue and Rehabilitation Centre at Koorgalli in Mysuru on Tuesday | EXPRESS

Tiger that killed woman in Bandipur captured

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@Mysuru

FIVE days after a tiger mauled Rathnamma (50) to death near Belluru Hundi village in Hediyala range under Bandipur Tiger Reserve in Nanjangud taluk, foresters managed to capture the animal in the wee hours of Tuesday.

The 10-year-old male tiger identified as U-2,371 was shot with a tranquiliser at 3.30 am and later shifted to Chamundi Animal Conservation, Rescue and Rehabilitation Centre at Koorgalli in Mysuru. The foresters said the tiger is old but in good health.

They said due to old age, the tiger which could not hunt its prey inside the forest and defend its territory had come to the fringes of the forest to hunt livestock in the villages for survival. As Rathnamma was grazing cattle near the forest area, the tiger had attacked her and had dragged her body inside the forest.

The foresters had launched combing operation with around 200 forest personnel and 25 tribals, three camp elephants — Partha, Rohit and Hiranya — and trap cameras installed at various places to track the movement of the elusive tiger.

The camera had captured the image of the tiger near Kallarekandi feeding on the carcass of a cattle which it had killed at 6.45 pm on Monday.

Wildlife veterinarian Mirza Wasim from Bandipur Tiger Reserve and vet Pradeep from Kali Tiger Reserve waited for the tiger to reappear at the spot by sitting inside the camouflaged trap cage placed near Kallaarekandi bordering Hediyala wildlife range with tranquiliser guns on Monday evening.

Around 8.45 pm, the tiger appeared at the spot to eat the carcass. Vet Mirza successfully shot the tranquiliser dart at the tiger. The tiger ran away from the spot in panic.

However, the forest staff followed the tiger in the forest. After a few minutes as the tranquilliser took effect, the forest staff surrounded the unconscious tiger, placed a trap net and transferred it into a cage around 3.30 am.

EXPRESS READ

2 held for moral policing

MANGALURU: Two men have been arrested by Mangaluru city police on the charges of indulging in moral policing. According to City Police Commissioner Anupam Agarwal, a woman and a man were travelling on a bike at Mulihithlu after repairing a mobile phone at 8 pm. The two accused allegedly waylaid the duo and questioned the man for being in company of the woman from a different religion. ENS

Man puts Pak flag as WhatsApp status, arrested

AMIT S UPADHYE @ Koppal

A 30-year-old man from Koppal district has been arrested on charges of putting up the Pakistan flag as his WhatsApp status along with a speech invitation. The arrested, Rajesab Nayak, is a resident of Tavaregera in Kushatagi taluk, and runs a cycle shop.

He has been arrested on charges of creating unrest. The incident was reported on November 24.

The police took a suo motu case against the accused after many complaints were raised by the residents.

"The accused was picked up from his cycle shop which is located at Ambedkar Circle in Tavergera. We interrogated him about the flag and also the invitation which he had posted along with the flag as his WhatsApp status. When asked if he knew that the flag he had put is of Pakistan, he came up with confusing answers. It's clear that the act was done deliberately to cause disturbance or enmity in society," said the police, adding that Nayak has been booked under IPC Sections 153 (A) and 505 (2)

The accused had posted an invitation video for a spiritual speech by one scholar Shamidsaab along with the Pakistan flag.

"When the photo went viral, many thought that it was Shamidsaab who had created such an invitation. However, during the investigation, it was made clear that Shamidsaab had no hand in the act. So far there is no clarity on why Nayak did it. Currently, he is under judicial custody," the police said.

PUBLIC NOTICE

It is hereby notified that, my clients have agreed to purchase the Schedule property from its owner **SRI.K.CHANDRASHEKAR** S/o late Kalaiah, residing at: No.46, 2nd Cross, Mount Joy Road, Hanumanth Nagar, Bengaluru – 560019.

If any person/s have any manner of right, title, interest or claim or charge or lien over the Schedule property or otherwise have any lawful objection/s for sale of the Schedule property by the aforesaid owner, they are hereby called upon to file their objections in writing, along with the photocopies of documents on which they rely, with the undersigned, within **14 days** from the date of publication of this notice. Objection/s received thereafter will not be binding on my clients.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of the vacant residential property bearing Municipal No.2557/2498/2248/101, measuring East to West (33.6 + 30)/2ft and North to South 60.5 ft, in all measuring 1923.9 Sq.ft, situated at Pattanagere Village, Kengeri Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, within the limits of BBMP and bounded on:

East by : Road
West by : Remaining portion of old Site No.101
North by : Road
South by : Property bearing No.102

Sd/- S.F. Goutam Chand
Advocate
Goutam Associates
No.60, 2nd Floor, Kanakapura Road,
Basavanagudi, Bangalore – 560 004

BRUHAT BENGALURU MAHANAGARA PALIKE
Office of the Executive Engineer
Shanthinagar Division, PU.Building, 9th Floor, M.G. Road, Bengaluru - 560 001.

No. EE/SN/TEND/11/2023-24 Date: 28.11.2023

SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION
(Through GOK E-procurement Portal **http://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** only)

The Executive Engineer (Shanthinagar Division), BBMP, Bangalore on behalf of the Commissioner, BBMP invites tenders from eligible Contractors registered in Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike. for the construction of works detailed in the table below. The tenderers may submit tenders for works given in the table through procurement portal of the Government of Karnataka (viz https://eproc.kppp.gov.in).The Tenderers are advised to note the minimum qualification criteria specified in Clause 3 of the Instructions to Tenderers to qualify for award of the contract **(Standard Tender Document -K/W-1 & K/W-2).**

SL No.	Name of the works	Approx. Value of work (Rs. in Lakhs)	EMD in Rs.
1	Emergency works In Preparation of Ground for Celebration of Republic Day 26-01-2024 at Manikshaw Parade Ground Bangalore in ward no 167, Ashoknagara (Old 111-Shantalanagara) For the year 2023-24 **Category : Others**	22.31	55775.00
2	Filling of Potholes In New Ward No 169(Old Ward No 115) Vannarpete Financial year 2023-24 (Call-3) **Category : SC**	15.00	22500.00
3	Filling of Potholes In New Ward No 170(Old Ward No 89) Jogupalya Financial year 2023-24 (Call-3) **Category : SC**	15.00	22500.00

(1) Last Date & Time for receipt of Tenders: **15.12.2023 up to 4:00 hours**
(2) Opening of Tender Document : **16.12.2023 at 16:30 hours**
Further details may be obtained from the above office during office hours on working days or from website **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in**

Sd/-
Executive Engineer, Shanthinagar Division

PUBLIC NOTICE

The notice is hereby given to public that Mr.Mahaboob Pasha has lost original registered sale deed bearing Doc. No. 6498/2012-13 and Original discharge deed bearing Doc.No.9363/2014-15 belongs to him at Devasandra. It is hereby informed to the public that in case any of them finds the same can contact on the below mentioned address or phone number within 7 days from the date of this publication.

SCHEDULE :

All that piece and parcel of property bearing Site No.28, Khatha No.54/28, Property No.54, Situated at Masjid Road, Davasandra, K.R.Puram Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, Bangalore, now comes under the jurisdiction of BBMP Bangalore, and bounded on: East by : Site Nos.10 & 26, West by : Private Property, North by : Private Property, South by : Road. Measuring (27x25)+(40x(19+14)/2ft, in all measuring 1335sqft.

V.L. Associates
Advocates
No.56, Out House, 19th Main Road, 2nd Block, Rajajinagar, Bangalore-560 010.
Ph:94819 00851/ 9743323668.
Place: Bangalore Date: 28.11.2023

State Bank of India
Premises & Estate Department
Local Head Office, II Floor, Annex Building,
No.65 St. Marks Road Bengaluru 560 001

Notice Inviting Tender

State Bank of India invites sealed tenders in **TWO BID SYSTEM** in printing and distribution of Bank utility calendars for the year 2024 on total cost basis from Karnataka based printers who have successfully completed printing of calendars earlier in any Public sector undertaking/Commercial Bank. For further details please log on to our website www.bank.sbi under SBI in the News > Tenders Awarded > Procurement News or contact Premises & Estates Department, LHO Bengaluru on 080-25944120. The Bank reserves the right to accept/reject any/all tenders without assigning any reason therefore. Last date for submission of technical bid is 12.12.2023.

Assistant General Manager,
Premises & Estates Department, LHO, Bengaluru.

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Advertisement No. R(HR)Temp-19(CCMD)/2023

Applications are invited for the following positions in the Centre for Campus Management and Development at the Institute:
1. Senior Site Engineer - Civil, **2. Senior Site Engineer - Electrical**
For further details, visit our website at: **https://iisc.ac.in/careers/contractual-positions/**
Last date of Application: **19.12.2023**
Date: 29.11.2023 Sd/- REGISTRAR

VISAKHAPATNAM METROPOLITAN REGION DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

'e' Procurement **Request For Proposal (RFP)** Notice

VMRDA, Visakhapatnam invites Bids on "e" Procurement Platform for the following works:

1) Re-development of Ac. 3.48 cts (erstwhile Vysakhi Jala Udyanavanam) located beside Police Barracks, One Town Area, Visakhapatnam as an Urban Entertainment Project on PPP Basis.

(2) Development of Nature Cottages, Revolving Restaurant and Beach View Cafe (in about 1.99 Acres) at Kailasagiri on PPP Basis.

Last date : 28-12-2023, 3.30 pm. For further details please log on to www.apeprocurement.gov.in

Sd/-Metropolitan Commissioner, VMRDA

ICAR - CENTRAL INSTITUTE FOR COTTON RESEARCH
(Indian Council of Agricultural Research)
Regional Station, Coimbatore - 641 003

WALK - IN - INTERVIEW

Walk In Interview is scheduled for the selection of temporary position of Young Professional I and II 11th and 12th December 2023. For details please visit our **website : www.cicr.org.in** and **www.aiccip.cicr.org.in**

OPPORTUNITIES

General

PARADIP PORT AUTHORITY
PARADIP-754142, ODISHA (INDIA)
(An autonomous body under Ministry of Ports, Shipping & Waterways, Govt. of India)

No. AD/RSC-I-24/40/2015(Vol.-III)/2493 Dated, the 22nd November, 2023

Advertisement

Applications are invited from Indian Nationals for engagement of 01 (one) **Safety & Training Officer (Class-I)** on **Direct Recruitment basis** in Paradip Port Authority.

For further details, visit our website: www.paradipport.gov.in

Sd/- Sr. Asst. Secretary,
Paradip Port Authority

PPA/PR/64/2023-2024 Dt. 24.11.2023

Canara Bank
A Government of India Undertaking

ASSET RECOVERY MANAGEMENT(ARM) II BRANCH,
2nd Floor, Circle Office, Spencer Towers, No.86, M G Road,
Bengaluru-560001 | Email: cb6298@canarabank.com

SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY
(Under Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002)

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged /charged to the **seccured creditor,** the possession of which has been taken by the **Canara Bank, ARM Branch II Bangalore-1** will be sold **on "As is where is", "As is what is", and " Whatever there is"** basis for recovery of outstanding dues from below mentioned Borrowers. The Reserve Price and the Earnest Money Deposit is mentioned below.

Name of Borrowers and Guarantors	Total Liabilities as per Sale Notice	Description of Immovable Assets	Auction Date & Time	Reserve Price and Earnest Money Deposit [EMD] Date & Time	1) Incremental Value at Bid 2) A/c No. & IFSC
M/s Bangalore Ceramics Proprietor- Mr. E A Wilson S/o E P Anthony, No. 59,60,61, 47A,7P,80, Behind BESCOM Office, Hosur Main Road, Kudlu Gate, Bangalore. Karnataka-560102 **Mr. E A Wilson,** S/o E P Anthony, No.1490, 11th Cross, 20th Main, Near Kubera TVS, Sector HSR Layout, Bangalore, Karnaraka-560102	**Rs. 1,47,12,083.01** (Rupees One Crore Forty Seven Lakhs Twelve Thousand Eighty Three and Paise One Only)as on 31.10.2023 plus further interest thereon from 01.11.2023 along with expenses, other charges, etc.	Property Bearing Site No. 78,79 & 80,V P Kahata No.275, Friends Colony, Garebhavipalya Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bengaluru-560068,Total Area measuring 5400 Sqft and bounded: on North By Site no. 59 & 60, **Bounded: On The North By:** Site no. 59 & 60, **On The South By:** 30 Feet Road, **On The East By:** 30 Feet Road, **On The West By:** Site No.81	**29.12.2023 Time 11.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m**	**Reserve Price:** Rs 270.80 Lakhs **EMD:** Rs.27.08 Lakhs **28.12.2023 - 3.00 PM.**	1) Multiplies of Rs.50,000/- 2) A/c No. 209272434 IFSC : CNRB0006298 **Encumbrance (s):** Not Known to the Bank

OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS

a. Auction / bidding shall be only through "Online Electronic Bidding" through the website www.indianbankseauctions.com. Bidders are advised to go through the website for detailed terms before taking part in the e-auction sale proceedings.
b. The property can be inspected, with Prior Appointment with Authorised Officer between **2.30 P.M to 5.00 P.M. on 27.12.2023**
c. The property will be sold for the price which is more than the Reserve Price and the participating bidders may improve their offer further during auction process.
d. EMD amount of 10% of the Reserve Price is to be deposited by way of DD favouring **Authorised officer, Canara Bank, ARM Branch II, Bangalore** OR through online (RTGS/ NEFT/Fund Transfer) to credit the account number 209272434, Canara Bank, ARM Branch II, Bangalore RTGS/NEFT CODE CNRB0006298 on or before 28.12.2023 - 3.00 PM.
e. After payment of the EMD amount, the intending bidders should submit a copy of the following documents/details on or before 28.12.2023-5.00 PM, to Canara Bank, ARM Branch II Bangalore by hand.
   • Demand Draft/Pay order towards EMD amount. If paid through RTGS/NEFT Acknowledgement receipt thereof with UTR No.
   • Photocopies of PAN Card, ID Proof and Address proof. However, successful bidder would have to produce these documents in original to the Bank at the time of making payment of balance amount of 25% of bid amount.
   • Bid Form.
f. The intending bidders should register their names at portal www.indianbankseauction.com and get their User ID and password free of cost. Prospective bidder may avail online training on E- auction from the service provider, **M/S CANBANK COMPUTER SERVICES LTD.** e- mail: eauction@ccsl.co.in Contact Persons & Numbers:- Mr.Pakhare DD/Mr.Ramesh T H – 9480691777 & 8553643144.
g. EMD deposited by the unsuccessful bidder shall be refunded to them. The EMD shall not carry any interest.
h. Auction would commence at Reserve Price, as mentioned above. Bidders shall improve their offers in **multiplies of Rs.50,000/-.** The bidder who submits the highest bid (not below the Reserve price) on closure of 'Online' auction shall be declared as successful bidder. Sale shall be confirmed in favour of the successful bidder, subject to confirmation of the same by the secured creditor.
i. The successful bidder shall deposit 25% of the sale price (inclusive of EMD already paid), immediately on declaring him/her as the successful bidder and the balance within 15 days from the date of confirmation of sale by the secured creditor. If the successful bidder fails to pay the sale price within the period stated above, the deposit made by him shall be forfeited by the Authorised Officer without any notice and property shall forthwith be put up for sale again.
j. For sale proceeds of **Rs.50.00 Lakhs** (Rupees Fifty lacs) and above, the successful bidder will have to deduct TDS at a rate 1% or as applicable on the sale proceeds and submit the original receipt of TDS certificate to the bank.
k. All charges for Conveyance, Stamp Duty/GST/Registration Charges etc. As applicable shall be borne by the successful bidder only.
l. Authorised Officer reserves the right to postpone/cancel or vary the terms and conditions of the E-auction without assigning any reason thereof.
m. In case there are bidders who do not have access to the internet but interested in participating the E-auction, they can approach Canara Bank Circle office, Bengaluru or Canara Bank ARM II Branch, Bengaluru, who as a facilitating centre shall make necessary arrangements.
n. Bidder has to make due diligence and physical verification of property with regard to title, extent, area dues, etc. No claim subsequent to submission of bid shall be entertained by the bank.
o. For further details contact **Ranjan Kumar, Chief Manager, Canara Bank , ARM Branch-2- (9483544116-080-25310181)** e-mail id – **cb6298@canarabank.com** OR the service provider M/s.Canbank Computer Services Ltd, Bangalore - e- mail: eauction@ccsl.co.in Contact Persons & Numbers:- Mr. Pakhare DD/Mr.Ramesh T H – 9480691777 & 8553643144.

Special Instruction/Caution

Bidding in the last minutes/seconds should be avoided by the bidders in their own interest. Neither Canara Bank nor the Service Provider will be responsible for any lapses/failure (Internet failure, Power failure, etc.) on the part of the bidder or vendor in such cases. In order to ward off such contingent situation, bidders are requested to make all the necessary arrangements/alternatives such as back –up, power supply and whatever else required so that they are able to circumvent such situation and are able to participate in the auction successfully.

Place: Bengaluru
Date: 27.11.2023

Sd/- AUTHORISED OFFICER
CANARA BANK

The Shipping Corporation Of India Ltd.
(A Government of India Enterprise)
Shipping House, 245, Madam Cama Road, Nariman Point, Mumbai-400021, India
● Tel: 22772576 ● Website: www.shipindia.com ● Twitter: @shippingcorp
CIN No.: L63030MH1950GOI008033

Recruitment of Master Mariners and Chief Engineers in the rank of Senior Manager (E5)
(Adv. No: HR 08 / 2023)
Date of application : 06.11.2023
Last date of Submission of application: Refer SCI Website.

The Shipping Corporation of India Limited invites applications for the post of **Master Mariners and Chief Engineers in the rank of Senior Manager (E5).** Details regarding vacancies, qualifications / experience and service conditions can be viewed on SCI's website **www.shipindia.com >>careers >>shore personnel >> current recruitment.**

For any addendum / corrigendum / updates, kindly visit SCI website at above mentioned path.

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Recruitment of Junior Associates (Customer Support & Sales) in Clerical Cadre in State Bank of India (SBI)

Applications are invited from Indian Citizens for recruitment of Junior Associates (Customer Support & Sales) in clerical cadre in SBI.

Vacancies: 8424 (including 141 backlog vacancies for SC, ST & OBC)

For vacancy details, eligibility criteria, terms & conditions and online application please visit bank's website https://bank.sbi/web/careers/current-openings or https://www.sbi.co.in/web/careers/current-openings - **"RECRUITMENT OF JUNIOR ASSOCIATES"** . Candidates can register their application through the link available therein.

• Online Registration of application and payment of fees: from 17.11.2023 to 07.12.2023
• Date of online Preliminary Exam (Tentative): Various dates in January 2024
• Date of online Main Exam (tentative): in February 2024

Place: Mumbai
Date: 17.11.2023

General Manager (RP&PM)

BHARATIYA RESERVE BANK NOTE MUDRAN (P) LIMITED

(Wholly owned subsidiary of Reserve Bank of India)
P.O.: RBNML, Salboni - 721132, Paschim Medinipur Dt., West Bengal.
Phone No.: 03227-280176 / 280317; Fax No.:03227-280744 / 280222

OPEN TENDER ENQUIRY (OTE)/NATIONAL COMPETITIVE BIDDING (NCB)

Bids are invited under Two-Part bidding system for the following e-Tenders through MSTC Portal: -

1. **CONSTRUCTION OF NEW BUILDING FOR NUTRITIONAL REHABILITATION CENTRE (CHILD CARE UNIT) AT SALBONI RURAL HOSPITAL, CHAKTARINI, SALBONI UNDER CSR; MSTC EVENT NO. BRBNMPL/SALBONI PRESS/ADMINISTRATION/ 3/23-24/ET/25 [CONSTRUCTION OF NRC BUILDING]; BRBNMPL TENDER NO. 003/SAL/CSR/2023-24; [ESTIMATED COST – ₹39.09 LAKH]**
2. **CONSTRUCTION OF SCHOOL BUILDING WITH TOILET BLOCK IN FIVE SCHOOLS OF PASCHIM MEDINIPUR DISTRICT UNDER CSR; MSTC EVENT NO. BRBNMPL/ SALBONI PRESS/ADMINISTRATION/4/23-24/ET/26 [SCHOOL BUILDING WITH TOILET]; BRBNMPL TENDER NO. 004/SAL/CSR/2023-24; [ESTIMATED COST – ₹128.30 LAKH]**

Last date of tender submission – **29.12.2023 by 11:30 Hrs.** For downloading tender documents and other details, kindly visit website www.mstcecommerce.com. Tender details are also available at our website www.brbnmpl.co.in. Further extension or amendment/s, if any, shall be uploaded on the above websites.

Senior General Manager

GURUPRIYA TELE-AUTO PRIVATE LIMITED

CIN: U32302KA1982PTC004967
Regd Office No 48/A, Bommasandra Indl Estate, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore- 562158
Email Id: gpta08@gmail.com,Contact No: 8971763170

NOTICE OF LOSS OF SECRETARIAL RECORDS

Notice is hereby given to the General Public that the Secretarial Records of the Company maintained under the, The Companies Act 1956 & The Companies Act 2013 have been misplaced or stolen or lost since1st week of October 2023.The 1st Information Report has been registered with Hebbagodi Police Station, RMGJ +RF2, Electronic City, Bommasandra, Bengaluru -99 on 23rd November 2023 at 5:52PM. Any person who comes to know or get any information or find them in the name of **GURUPRIYA TELE-AUTO PRIVATE LIMITED** are requested to intimate to the Company and to the Police Station as aforementioned immediately. The Co. would consider to go for preparation of all the Records afresh to whatever extent possible in case there is no response from anyone within 7 days from the date of publication of this notice.

For and on behalf of
GURUPRIYA TELE-AUTO PRIVATE LIMITED Sd/-
Date : 22-11-2023 **KUKKUJE RAGHURAMA SHETTY**
Place : Bangalore **Director (DIN: 00924607)**

GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA

MINOR IRRIGATION & GROUND WATER DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

M.I & G.W.D.D. DIVISION, VIJAYAPUR

No:EE/MID/VJP/AE-3/4702/CORRIGENDUM/2022-23/2187
Date:24.11.2023

CORRIGENDUM OF TENDER NOTIFICATION

Ref :-This office Short Term Tender Notification No.EE/MID/VJP/AE-3/NON-NBD/TND/2023-24/2006, Dated:08/11/2023.

With respect to above cited reference, vide this office tender notification, the time schedule of the below mentioned work tender are postponed due to unavoidable reason, the invited tenders publishing dates further mentioned below:

NON-NABARD Works :- 1) Arranging power supply to -3000KVA by constructing 33KV SC Line from 33KV Devargennur by creating 33KV Switch gear (Breaker) and extension of Bay in Devargennur station to Chikkalaki LIS Jackwell Near Janavad Village in Jamakhandi Taluka, Bagalkote District(Under self execution scheme)., Estimated Cost **Rs.290.87 Lakhs,** EMD **Rs.4,37,000-00, Tender Period for the above work is Eleven(11) Months including monsoon.**

Tender documents may be downloaded from Government of Karnataka E-Procurement website https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in/eportal/index.seam under login for Contractors from **29.11.2023.** Tenders may be submitted on electronically in E-Procurement portal up to **16-00hrs.** on **06.12.2023.** Interested contractors information regarding works may be obtained from this office (Ph.No.08352-277188) or e-Procurement helpdesk (Ph.No.080-25501216 & 080-25501227) upto **17.30hrs.** on **05.12.2023.** Pre-bid meeting will be held on **01.12.2023** for work costing above 1.00Crore in the office of the Executive Engineer, MI&GWDD Division, Vijaypur. Other details can be seen in the tender documents

Sd/- Executive Engineer, MI & GWDD Division, Vijayapur

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CITY UNION BANK LIMITED

Credit Recovery and Management Department
Administrative Office : No. 24-B, Gandhi Nagar, Kumbakonam - 612 001. **E-Mail id :** crmd@cityunionbank.in, **Ph :** 0435-2432322, **Fax :** 0435-2431746

POSSESSION NOTICE (Immovable Properties)

Whereas, the undersigned being the Authorised Officer of **City Union Bank Ltd.,** having its **Administrative Office** at **No.24-B, Gandhi Nagar, Kumbakonam - 612001** and one of the Branch Offices at **D.No.1-19-97/1/1, Ground Floor, Plot No.1, Officers Colony, Hyderabad A.S Rao Nagar Branch** under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under Section 13(2) & (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a Demand Notice Dated **24-08-2023** calling upon the borrowers **No.1) M/s. Roshini Microsystems Private Limited, having its Registered Office at, No.1-19-101/30A, Brundavan Colony, Rukminipuram, Kapra, Keesara, Hyderabad - 500062. No.2) Mr. L. Srinivas (a) Surya Satya Sai Srinivasa Nookaraju Lokanandham, S/o. Kukkutalingam Lokanadham, Residing at No.1-19-101/30A, Brundavan Colony, Rukhminipuram, Kapra, Keesara, Hyderabad - 500062. Also at, Mr. L. Srinivas (a) Surya Satya Sai Srinivasa Nookaraju Lokanandham, S/o. Kukkutalingam Lokanadham, Residing at, Flat No.102 B Block, Saket Pranaam Street, Kapra, Hyderabad - 500062. No.3) Mrs. L. Vani, W/o. L. Srinivas, Residing at No.1-19-101/30A, Brundavan Colony, Rukminipuram, Kapra, Keesara, Hyderabad - 500062. Also at, Mrs. L. Vani, W/o. L. Srinivas, Resding at, Flat No. 102 B Block, Saket Pranaam Street, Kapra, Hyderabad - 500062. No.4) Mr. Venkata Vara Prasad Kedasu, S/o. K. Venkateshwar Rao, Residing at Door No. 58-15-150-1, Shanti Nagar, Visakapatnam - 530009. No.5) Mr. Krishna Vara Prasad Rao Manchighanti, S/o. Venkata Rama Rao Manchiganti, Residing at Flat No. T 1, Seema Residency, 4th Main Road, Postal Colony, 1st Stage, Sanjay Nagar, Bangalore - 500094. No.6) Ms. Shiva Surya Varalaxmi Koneti, D/o. Jagadeeshwar Rao Koneti, Residing at 13-1-143/302, Block 1, Matwada, Warrangal - 530009** to repay the amount mentioned in the Notice being **Rs.1,66,61,171/- (Rupees One Crore Sixty Six Lakh Sixty One Thousand One Hundred and Seventy One only)** within **60 days** from the date of the said Notice with subsequent interest thereon from **01-08-2023** with monthly rests.

The borrowers above named having failed to repay the amount despite the receipt of the above referred statutory notice, NOTICE is hereby given to the borrowers above named and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the Properties described herein below in exercise of the powers conferred on him under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said Rules on this 23rd day of November 2023.

The borrowers above named in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the properties and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of City Union Bank Ltd. for an amount of **Rs.1,73,54,030/- (Rupees One Crore Seventy Three Lakh Fifty Four Thousand and Thirty only)** and interest thereon from **07-11-2023** till the repayment of entire dues.

The borrowers' attention is invited to provisions of Sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

Immovable Properties Mortgaged to our Bank

Property - 1 : (Property Owned by Mr. Krishna Vara Prasad Rao Manchighanti, S/o. Venkata Rama Rao Manchiganti)

Schedule - A : All that piece and parcel of the Site bearing Municipal No.18, Block - B formed by the CIL Employees House building Co-operative Society Limited Bangalore in the converted lands in Sy.Nos.21/4, 22, 23, 24/5, 25/3, and 25/4 of Geddalahalli Villager Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore now coming within the purview of the BBMP Sanjay Nagar, Ward Bangalore and assigned PID No.100-736- 18 the Site. Measuring : East to West 50 ft. and North to South 85 ft. Totally admeasuring 4,250 sq.ft. enclosed with compound wall and bounded on the East by : Property bearing Municipal No.17, West by : Property bearing Municipal No.19, North by : 40 ft. Road, South by : Property bearing Municipal Nos.20 and 21.

Schedule - B : 252 sq.ft. of Undivided Share and right in the Schedule - A, Site together with Share in the Common Area of the Walls, Ceiling the Floor between Two Apartments shall belong to the owner of such apartments equally Schedule - C : The Apartment No.102 located in the Ground Floor of the Building known as Sethi Woods constructed on the Schedule - A Site and considering of a Living-cum-Dining Room, Two Bedrooms plus study, Two Bathroom-cum-Toilet, a Kitchen and Balcony as indicated in the Typical Floor Plan and Apartment Plan hereto annexed to form a Part and parcel of his deed the apartment having a super built-up-area of 1,100 Sq.ft. with vitrified Tile Flooring together with Closed Car Parking in the basement specifically allotted to him.

Property - 2 : (Property Owned by Mr. Krishna Vara Prasad Rao Manchighanti, S/o. Venkata Rama Rao Manchiganti)

Schedule - A : All that piece and parcel of the immovable Residential Property bearing Site Municipal No.158 in the lay-out formed by The Aircraft Employees Co-operative Society Limited, Bangalore in the converted lands in Sy. Nos. 12/1, 12/3, 24/3, 24/4, 31/3, 32/3, 34/4, 33/2, 35/2, 36/3 and 39/1 of Geddalahalli Village, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore now coming within the purview of the BBMP situated at AECS lay-out Sy.No.12/1, Geddalahalli, Old BMP Ward No.100, New BBMP Ward No.18, Bangalore. Measuring : East to West 60 ft. and North to South 40 ft., Totally admeasuring 2,400 sq.ft. and bounded on the : East by : Road, West by : Site No.168, North by : Site No.159, South by : Site No.157.

Schedule - B : 329 Sq.ft. of Undivided Share, Title Interest and Right in the Schedule-A Property. Schedule - C : All that piece and parcel of the Flat No.S-2 bearing New Municipal No.158/4 PID No.100-1-158/4, New PID No.018-W0341- 4-32 on Second Floor constructed on the Schedule - A Property having 875 Sq.ft. of super built-up-area equipped with RCC building Mosaic Flooring consisting of Two Bed Rooms, One Hall, One Kitchen, Toilet and Bathrooms with separate Electricity Meter, Water and Sanitary with all amenities thereon together with one covered Car Parking and proportionate Share in Common Areas such as Passages Lobbies, Staircases, Corridors, Pipes, Sewers, Drainage, Sump, over Head Tank and other areas of Common Use.

Place : Bangalore, Date : 23-11-2023 **Authorised Officer**

Regd. Office : 149, T.S.R. (Big) Street, Kumbakonam, Thanjavur District, Tamil Nadu - 612 001, **CIN -** L65110TN1904PLC001287, **Telephone No.** 0435-2402322, **Fax :** 0435-2431746, **Website :** www.cityunionbank.com

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KERALA MEDICAL SERVICES CORPORATION LTD

(DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE, GOVT. OF KERALA)
Head Office : Thycaud, Thiruvananthapuram-14,
(Telephone No. 0471-2945600, 2945646)
E-mail : edrugs.kmscl@kerala.gov.in,
website : www.kmscl.kerala.gov.in, CIN No. U24233KL2007SGC021616

No.KMSCL/ED/55/2023 **Date :27.11.2023**

E- TENDER NOTICE

Online bids are invited for the procurement of Drugs for Rare Diseases for Department of Health & Family Welfare, Govt. of Kerala vide e-tender no KMSCL/ED/RD-SAT/RC/2023/019 dated: 27.11.2023.

Sl. No.	Name of Item	Tender Qty.	Last Date & time of Uploading of tender	Date & time of Technical Bid opening
1.	ALGLUCOSIDASE ALFA FOR INTRAVENOUS INFUSION (50mg Vial)	180	06.12.23 5.00 pm.	11.12.23 11.00 am.
2.	IMIGLUCERASE FOR INJ. (400units Vial)	180		
3.	VELAGLUCERASE ALFA FOR INJ. (400units Vial)	120		

Tender documents can be downloaded from the website **www.etenders.kerala.gov.in.**

(Sd/-) MANAGING DIRECTOR (Tender Inviting Authority)

ADITYA BIRLA HOUSING FINANCE LIMITED

Registered Office- Indian Rayon Compound, Veraval, Gujarat – 362266 Branch office at Star Avenue, No.1(78), 3rd Floor, 6th Cross Street, Victoria Layout, Victoria Road, Beside Vijaya Bank, Bangalore- 560025

APPENDIX IV [See Rule 8 (1) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002]
Possession Notice (for Immovable Property)

Whereas,The undersigned being the authorized officer of **Aditya Birla Housing Finance Limited** under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (54 of 2002) and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 had issued a **demand notice dated 11-09-2023 calling upon the borrowers Ramesh R, Praveena, M/S Ramesh Electronics, mentioned in the notice being of Rs. 53,17,574.88/- (Rupees Fifty Three Lac Seventeen Thousand Five Hundred Seventy Four and Eighty Eight Paise Only)** within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrowers having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrowers and to the public in general that the undersigned has taken Possession of the property described herein below in exercise of the powers conferred on him/her under Section 13(4) of the said Act. read with Rule 8 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 **on this 25th day of November of the year, 2023.**

The borrowers in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the Aditya Birla Housing Finance Limited for an amount of **Rs. 53,17,574.88/- (Rupees Fifty Three Lac Seventeen Thousand Five Hundred Seventy Four and Eighty Eight Paise Only)** and interest thereon. Borrowers attention is invited to the provisions of Sub-section 8 of Section 13 of the Act., in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

Description Of The Immovable Property

All That Piece And Parcel Of And Residential Apartment/Flat Bearing Unit No.Ff-1, First Floor Admeasuring Super Built Up Area Of 1260 Sq. Ft. And 310 Sq. Ft. Undivided Interest Of Right, Including One Covered Car Parking Area Bearing No. Ff-1, In The Multi Storied Building Known As "Poorvi Royal Nest", Constructed On Land Bearing New Bbmp Katha No. 105/18, Old No.105/18, Property Register No.1736, Site No.18, House List No.18, Situated At Sri Guru Raghavendra Layout, Kottanur Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Now Within Bbmp, Bangalore, Karnataka-560078, And **Bounded As: East:** Site No. 19, **West:** Site No. 17, **North:** Site No. 23, **South:** Road.

Date: 25.11.2023 **Authorised Officer**
Place: Bangalore **Aditya Birla Housing Finance Limited**

CITY UNION BANK LIMITED

Credit Recovery and Management Department
Administrative Office : No. 24-B, Gandhi Nagar, Kumbakonam - 612 001. **E-Mail id :** crmd@cityunionbank.in, **Ph :** 0435-2432322, **Fax :** 0435-2431746

POSSESSION NOTICE (Immovable Property)

Whereas, the undersigned being the Authorised Officer of **City Union Bank Ltd.,** having its **Administrative Office** at **No.24-B, Gandhi Nagar, Kumbakonam - 612001** and one of the Branch Offices at **Door No.20/979, Co-operative Colony, Near by SBI, Cuddapah, Cuddapah - 516001, Cuddapah Branch** under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under Section 13(2) & (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a Demand Notice Dated **15-07-2023** calling upon the borrowers **No.1) M/s. Sri Sai Subramanya Electricals and Constructions, Rep. by its Sole Proprietor, K. Divya Swaroop, D.No.42/397/A2, Bhagya Nagar Colony, Radha Nilayam, Kadapa - 516002. No.2) Mr. K. Divya Swaroop, S/o. K.V. Subramanyam, Residing at D.No. 42/397-6, Bhagya Nagar Colony, Radha Nilayam, Kadapa - 516002. No.3) Mr. K.V. Subramanyam, S/o. K. Narasimhiah, Residing at D.No. 42/397-6, Bhagya Nagar Colony, Radha Nilayam, Kadapa - 516002. No.4) Mrs. K. Radha, W/o. K.V. Subramanyam, Residing at D.No. 42/397-6, Bhagya Nagar Colony, Radha Nilayam, Kadapa - 516002** to repay the amount mentioned in the Notice being **Rs.87,31,571/- (Rupees Eighty Seven Lakh Thirty One Thousand Five Hundred and Seventy One only)** within **60 days** from the date of the said Notice with subsequent interest thereon from **15-07-2023** with monthly rests.

The borrowers above named having failed to repay the amount despite the receipt of the above referred statutory notice, NOTICE is hereby given to the borrowers above named and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the Properties described herein below in exercise of the powers conferred on him under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said Rules on this 24th day of November 2023.

The borrowers above named in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the properties and any dealings with the properties will be subject to the charge of City Union Bank Ltd. for an amount of **Rs.90,08,230/- (Rupees Ninety Lakh Eight Thousand Two Hundred and Thirty only)** and interest thereon from **27-09-2023** till the repayment of entire dues.

The borrowers' attention is invited to provisions of Sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

Immovable Property Mortgaged to our Bank
Schedule - A
Property - 1 : (Property Owned by Mrs. K. Radha, W/o. K.V. Subramanyam)

All that piece and parcel of the Vacant Site bearing No.40, Khatha/Janjaru No. 865/405/40, in the layout known "AISHWARYA AERO GRAND" formed in concerted land bearing Sy.No. 405, situated at 4th Division, Prashant Nagar, Devanahalli Town, Devanahalli Taluk, Bangalore Rural District measuring East to West comprised in 80 feet and North to South 50 feet in all measuring 4,000 sq. ft. Site bounded on : East by - Site No.45, West by - 40 feet Road, North by - Site No.41 and South by - Site No.39.

Place : Bengaluru, Date : 24-11-2023 **Authorised Officer**

Regd. Office : 149, T.S.R. (Big) Street, Kumbakonam, Thanjavur District, Tamil Nadu - 612 001, **CIN -** L65110TN1904PLC001287, **Telephone No.** 0435-2402322, **Fax :** 0435-2431746, **Website :** www.cityunionbank.com

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KERALA MEDICAL SERVICES CORPORATION LTD.

(Department of Health & Family Welfare, Govt. of Kerala)
THYCAUD P.O., THIRUVANANTHAPURAM - 695014
Tele:0471-2945646, 2945600
website: www.kmscl.kerala.gov.in, e-mail: etenders.kmscl@kerala.gov.in
CIN No. U24233KL2007SGC021616

No. KMSCL/EP/20599/2023 **Dated : 28.11.2023**

e-TENDER NOTICE (Running Contract)

Online bids are invited for the supply and installation of the following equipment for various Government healthcare institutions across Kerala

Sl. No	Tender No.	Description	Online Pre-Bid Meeting	Last date of Online submission
1.	T518/2023	Cobalt Radiotherapy Machine	08.12.2023 11.00 a.m.	20.12.2023 5.00 p.m.
		Shaker incubator, Instrument trolley various types, Hand held non Mydriatic camera, Crash cart various types, Vertical autoclave various types, Pulse Oximeter baby and adult, Fumigation dispenser, Dressing trolley, AB scan, Gynec OT table, Multipara meter monitor neonatal, Quadriceps table with back rest, Infantometer, Retractor Set, Trans Vaginal Uterine Artery Clamp Set	N.A.	13.12.2023 5.00 p.m.
2.	T519(R)/ 2023	Gas Tight Static Pass box with connection to VHP, Vaporized Hydrogen Peroxide Decontamination System, Biological Effluent Decontamination Plant, Dunk Tank	N.A.	06.12.2023 5.00 p.m.
		Ultrasonic Aspirator with Universal Hand Piece, Laparoscopic System with Single Chip Camera, ERCP Table / Bed, File Cabinet, DVT/ sequential compression device calf pump, Neonatal incubator model B, Ophthalmic chair unit, Patient warmer, Lithoclast pneumatic ultrasonic with suction, Medium Duty Rack, Low Duty Rack, Defibrillator Analyser, Fluidotherapy Machine, MRI Compatible Ventilator, HLA Typing System, Soft Tissue Laser, Micro Incinerator, Sample Mixer, Fume Hood, Ultrasonic Scaler, Apex Locator, Pulse Dye Laser, Particle Counter for Checking Modular OT Performance, Radio Frequency Ablation System - Type A, Perkins Hand Held Tonometer, Digital Upgradability of X-Ray machine (Retro-fit DR), Autolensometer, MR Compatible Anaesthesia Workstation, Cataract Surgery Instruments, SICS Set, Transforminal HD Spine Endoscope, Arthroscopic Radio frequency Ablation System, Ultrasound Machine with Color Doppler (3D/4D) Model C, CT Simulator, MRI Simulator, Multipara meter Monitor with Mainstream EtCO2, dual IBP and Non Invasive Continuous Cardiac Output	N.A.	13.12.2023 5.00 p.m.

Tender documents and all other information related to tender and bidding process can be downloaded from the website www.etenders.kerala.gov.in.

Sd/- Managing Director (Tender Inviting Authority)

KERALA WATER AUTHORITY e-TENDER NOTICE

Tender No : 08/2023-24/KWA/PHC/D4/TVM(RT4)

AMRUT-AMRUT 2.0 - Block N-Laying Transmission main and sewer network in Block N (Uloor) - Ist reach-Sewerage Work. EMD: Rs. 200000/-; Tender fee: Rs. 13010/-; Last Date for submitting Tender: 22-12-2023, 03:00:pm. Phone: 0471-2322303 Website : www.kwa.kerala.gov.in, www.etenders.kerala.gov.in

Superintending Engineer
KWA-JB-GL-6-1710-2023-24 PH Circle, Thiruvananthapuram

BRUHAT BENGALURU MAHANAGARA PALIKE

Office of the Executive Engineer, Rajajinagara Division, Sir|| M.Vishweshwaraiah Commercial Complex, 12th Main Road, 2nd Block, Rajajinagara, Bengaluru - 10.

No: EE/RNR/E-PROC/05/2023-24 **Date: 28.11.2023**

SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIICATION

(Through **GOK kpp Portal** only)

Tenders for the following works on Item rate are invited as **Standard Bid Documents KW-1** by the Executive Engineer, Rajajinagara Division BBMP from the registered contractors of Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike or Equivalent registration with CPWD/KPWD/Railways/MES or any State Government Organizations.

Sl. No.	Name of the Approved Works /Category	Estimated Cost (₹. in Lakhs)	EMD (in ₹.)
1.	Filling of Potholes in New Ward No-129 (Old No.97) Dayananda -Nagara. (Other) 3rd Call.	15.00	37,500/-

Calendar of Events : (1) Last Date for uploading the filled proposal is **07.12.2023** upto **4:00 pm** (2) Date of opening of Financial Proposals is **08.12.2023** at **4:30** pm. (3) This tender notice can also be seen on the BBMP Website: **www.bbmp.gov.in**. Further details may be obtained from the above office during office hours on working days or from website: **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in**

Sd/- Executive Engineer, Rajajinagara Division

KARNATAKA POWER TRANSMISSION CORPORATION LIMITED

(CIN: U40109KA1999SGC025521)

TENDER NOTIFICATION (E-procurement mode only)

KPTCL invites Bid for the following works:

No: SEE/TR(M)/RMGC/EE(O)/AEE-2/23-24/3118-20 Dtd: 27.11.2023

(1) KPTCL/SEE/TR(M)/RMGC/EE(O)/AEE-2/Erection of 11kV SWG/EPR-369/CALL2 Dtd:27.11.2023 in **Combined Package for the following works:**

Work-1: Providing additional one number of 11kV, 25kA, 1250A, MCVCB feeder panel for load bifurcation of 11kV feeders at 66/11kV Substation, Maralwadi in TL&SS Division, Kanakapura as per request of BESCOM on PTK Basis.

Work-2 Providing additional one number of 11kV, 31.5kA, 1600A, MCVCB feeder panel for load bifurcation of 11kV feeders at 66/11kV Substation, Kanakapura in TL&SS Division, Kanakapura as per request of BESCOM on PTK Basis.

Work-3 Providing additional one number of 11kV, 25kA, 1250A, MCVCB feeder panel for load bifurcation of 11kV feeders at 66/11kV Substation, Hanumanthanagara in TL&SS Division, Kanakapura as per request of BESCOM on PTK Basis.

Work:4 Providing additional one number of 11kV, 25kA, 1250A, MCVCB feeder panel for load bifurcation of 11kV feeders at 66/11kV Substation, Achchalu in TL&SS Division, Kanakapura as per request of BESCOM on PTK Basis.

No: SEE/TR(M)/RMGC/EE(O)/AEE-2/23-24/3121-23 Dtd:27.11.2023

(2) KPTCL/SEE/TRM/RMGC/EE(O)/AEE-2/23-24/TLM Vehicle/370/CALL2 dtd:27.11.2023 "Tender for Hiring of One no of Tempo Traveller (14+1 Seater) for day to day maintenance works & break down works by carrying both men and materials as and when required for TLM Sub-Division, Kanakapura, coming under the jurisdiction of Ramanagara Circle, KPTCL".

No: SEE/TR(M)/RMGC/EE(O)/AEE-1/F-35/23-24/3124-26 Dtd:27.11.2023

(3) KPTCL/SEE/TRM/RMGC/ EE(O)/AEE-1/23-24/TLMVehicle/368/CALL-2 dtd:27.11.2023 "Tender for Hiring of One no of Tempo Traveller (12+1 Seater) including driver for day to day maintenance works & break down works by carrying both men and materials as and when required for TLM Sub-Division, Nelamangala, coming under the jurisdiction of Ramanagara Circle, KPTCL".

No: SEE/TR(M)/RMGC/EE(O)/AEE-1/F-35/23-24/3128-30 Dtd:27.11.2023

(4) KPTCL/SEE/ TR(M)/RMGC /EE(O)/ AEE-1/2023-24/ EPR-408 Dtd:24.11.2023 for Supply & replacement of defective 120kN Porcelain disc insulator strings-Tension strings and 90kN Porcelain Disc insulator strings-suspension strings provided to 220kV Nelamangala-Dabaspet-Kadur (B3) & Nelamangala-Nittur (B4) D/c lines by Long rod silicon rubber composite polymer 120kN insulator strings & 90kN insulator strings in TLM sub-division, Nelamangala pertains to Ramanagara Circle on TOTAL TURN KEY BASIS. Amount put to tender: **Rs. 3,49,061.00** and EMD: **Rs. 8,727/-.** The bids will be received through e-procurement mode only.

The detailed notification regarding the subject tenders can be got by logging on to **https://kptcl.karnataka.gov.in** with hyperling 'e-Procurement-KPTCL' or to **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in (on or after dated 29.11.2023 for Sl.No. 1,2 & 3 and 01.12.2023 for Sl.No.4)**

Sd/- Superintending Engineer, Elecl., Transmission (Maint.), Ramanagara Circle, KPTCL, Opp. R.R. Nagar Metro Station, Pantharapalya, Mysure Road, Bengaluru-560 026. Ph:080-29620155

HASSAN CO-OPERATIVE MILK PRODUCERS SOCIETIES UNION LIMITED
P.B. NO. 120, INDUSTRIAL ESTATE, B.M.ROAD, HASSAN –573201 PH NO : 08172-295436 FAX: 08172-240640
E-mail Address:***purchase.hamul@gmail.com***

IFT NO.HCMU/PUR/ EPROC /4375/2023-24 DATE:22/11/2023

INVITATIONFOR SHORT TERM E-TENDER
TECHNICAL CUM COMMERCIAL TENDER

HAMUL invites E-Procurement tender for 1) Supply of Sugar for Pet Bottle& Ice-cream Plant: details available in e portal 2) Quantity &EMD amount: as per bid notification available in e-portal.3)Last date for submission of tender: 08.12.2023. up to 5.00 PM. 4) Technical bid opening: 11.12.2023 at 11.00 AM. 5) Address for communication: Deputy Manager (Pur) at the above address. 6) Tender document may be downloaded from websitehttps://kppp.karnataka.gov.in/.www.hamul. coop /KMF/2023-24/IND0452

Sd/- **MANAGING DIRECTOR**

Aptus Value Housing Finance India Ltd

88, Doshi Towers, 205, Poonamalle High Road, Kilpauk, Chennai-600 010.Telephone: 044-4565 0003

Possession Notice Appendix IV (rule8 (1) of the SARFAESI Act

Whereas, the undersigned being the authorized officer of **Aptus Value Housing Finance India Ltd** under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(2) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued **Demand notice dated 18-08-2023 calling upon the borrowers Nazeem Begum, Syed Shabaz,Syed Arbaz, & Syed Rakeesh S/o Syed rafik to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being for LAP - Construction in Loan Account No: AJGANI0069335 of Rs. 5,10,567/- (Rupees Five Lacs Ten Thousand Five Hundred Sixty Seven Only)** within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrowers having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrowers and the public in general that the undersigned has taken **"Symbolic Possession"** of the property described herein below in exercise of the powers conferred on him/her under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said rule **on this 27th day of November 2023.**

The borrowers in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of **Aptus Value Housing Finance India Ltd for an amount of Rs.5,45,326/-(Rupees Five Lacs Forty Five Thousand Three Hundred Twenty Six Only) as on 21-11-2023** and interest thereon.

The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of Sub-Section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets

DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY:-

All that piece and parcel of Property situated All that piece and parcel of Converted residential Site bearing No.21, E-Katha Property ID No.150200100401805405, Grama Panchayath Katha No.390/21, Carved out of land bearing Sy No.72/1 & 80 Measuring East to west 30ft , North to South 40ft total measuring 30× 40 = 1200 sq ft Situated at KISHOR LAYOUT , Harapanahalli village , Kallubalu Grama Panchayath, Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore District , **bounded on : North By:** Site No.24, **South By:** Road **East By:** Site No.22, **West By:** Site No.20.

Date: 27.11.2023 **Sd/- Authorised Officer**
Place: Harapanahalli **Aptus Value Housing Finance India Ltd**

Reliant CREDITS (INDIA) LTD.

KMC XVI/I/3, Reliant junction, Kozhippilly Bypass Kuthukuzhi P.O, Kothamangalam- 686691 Ernakulam. Ph: +91 9400387007

Because the customers are not interested in the payback or renewal with interest repayment after being notified with a registered auction notice, Reliant CREDITS(India) Ltd has chosen to bid the mortgage items in a systematic manner in our listed branches on December 20, 2023, at 11:00 AM. Thus, the auction is being conducted on the branches listed below.

Branch: Battarahalli
202300100540135,202300100540136,202300100540137,202200100540089,202200100540112,202200100540028,202300100540016,202200100540098,202200100540154,202300100540120,202300100540116,202300100540150,202300100540163,202300100540173,202300100540181,202300100540200,202300100540186,202300100540149,202300100540138,202300100540175
Branch: Horamavu
202200100570040,202200100570047
Branch: Hosakotte
202200100580327,202200100580670,202200100580009,202200100580011,202200100580006,202200100580018,202200100580061,202200100580152,202200100580127,202200100580174,202200100580287,202200100580248,202200100580306,202200100580322,202200100580315,202200100580544,202300100580205,202200100580067,202200100580074,202200100580182,202200100580245,202200100580742,202200100580744,202300100580369,202300100580370,202200100580195
Branch: Kacharakanahalli
202300100660041,202300100660010,202300100660009,202200100660146,202300100660025,202300100660027,202300100660123,202300100660008,202300100660012
Branch: Kaval Bysandra
202300100650042
Branch: Konanakunte
202300100640037,202200100640038
Branch: Mahalakshmi Layout
202300100630018,202300100630024,202300100630042,202300100630057
Branch: Mathikere
202300100620060,202300100620048,202300100620090
Branch: Medahalli
202200100560062,202200100560028,202200100560159,202200100560147,202200100560243,202200100560244,202200100560240,202200100560241,202200100560625,202200100560602,202200100560652,202200100560710,202300100560029,202300100560030,202300100560080,202300100560108,202300100560162,202300100560145,202300100560150,202300100560163,202300100560206,202300100560223,202200100560024,202200100560066,202200100560114,202200100560115,202200100560090,202200100560205,202200100560206,202200100560248,202200100560220,202200100560221,202200100560207,202200100560237,202200100560235,202200100560280,202200100560281,202200100560294,202200100560035,202200100560173,202200100560180,202200100560161,202200100560270,202200100560189,202200100560604,202200100560689,202200100560450,202200100560461
Branch: T C Palya
202200100530001,202200100530066,202200100530068,202200100530134,202200100530145,202200100530137,202200100530135,202200100530136,202200100530160,202200100530069,202300100530023
Branch:Vijinapura
202200100510013,202200100510030,202200100510031,202200100510035,202200100510073,202200100510075,202200100510082,202200100510124,202200100510268,202200100510281,202200100510294,202200100510297,202200100510303,202200100510304,202200100510307,202200100510266,202200100510253,202200100510257,202200100510258,202200100510097,202200100510098,202200100510109,202200100510017,202200100510003,202200100510025,202200100510028
Branch:Yelahanka Attur
202300100700036

PUBLIC NOTICE

ICICI Bank **Branch Office:** ICICI Bank Ltd. 4/10, Mythree Tower, Bommanhalli Hosur Main Road Bangalore- 560068

The following borrower/s have defaulted in the repayment of principal and interest of the loans facility obtained by them from the Bank and the loans have been classified as Non-Performing Assets (NPA). A notice was issued to them under Section 13 (2) of Securitisation and Re-construction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act-2002 on their last known addresses, however it was not served and hence they are hereby notified by way of this public notice.

Sr. No.	Name of the Borrower/ Co-Borrower/ Guarantor/ (Loan Account Number) & Address	Property Address of Secured Asset / Asset to be Enforced	Date of Notice Sent/ Outstanding as on Date of Notice	NPA Date
1.	Pratheesh K P & Shanthi Prabhakaran/ Site No 4, Sriram Nagar Phase 2, Velanthavalam Road, Kinathukadavu Sf No 401/1 Sf No 401/1A Coimbatore-641032/ LBPOL00006008775, LBPOL00006104610 & LBPOL00006114360	All That Piece And Parcel Of Plot No.4 (Southern Side Part) Measuring To An Extent Of 1140 Sq.ft. (105.90 Sq.mts.or 2 Cents And 269 Sq.ft.) And Other Easement Rights, Etc., In A Housing Layout Known As "Sri Ram Nagar

RAIL WHEEL FACTORY

Yelahanka, Bangalore – 560064
Website: www.rwf.indianrailways.gov.in

Tender Notice No.RWF/W/23-24/12
Dated:28/11/2023

E-TENDER: On behalf of the President of India, the Dy. Chief Engineer, invites electronic tender for the following work online through the website **http://www.ireps.gov.in** (Works).

Tender No/ Description/ Estimated Value in ₹: W.496/RWF/YNK/1026/ Improvements to Quarters in West Colony of RWF (Phase-1) / ₹1,95,80,397.06

Closing Date &Time: 27/12/2023 at 11.00 hrs.

This tender notice can be viewed on our website **www.rwf.indianrailways.gov.in**

Executive Engineer

IN THE COURT OF THE CITY CIVIL JUDGE [CCH-75], AT BANGALORE

O.S. No. 27315 / 2011

BETWEEN: Mr. V.N. Raghu, S/o V.R. Nagaraj, Aged about 31 years, Residing at No.MIG-36/8, Nandini Layout, Bangalore-560 096.

...PLAINTIFF

AND : Mr. V. Bhaskar Reddy and others

...DEFENDANTS

PUBLIC NOTICE

Whereas the Plaintiff named above has filed a Suit before this Court for the relief of **Recovery of Money against you for a sum of Rs.5,25,150/-** along with future interest at the rate of 18% p.a. until realization and any other orders as deemed fit by the Hon'ble Court.

Take notice/summons that **M/s. SAMYUKTHA ENCLAVE, the Defendant No.3, Rep. by its Managing Partner V. Bhaskar Reddy** hereinabove, is hereby called upon to appear in the Court of the LXXIV Addl. City Civil Court [CCH-75], Mayo Hall Unit, at Bangalore in person or by pleader, duly instructed, on 14.12.2023 at 11 a.m. to contest in the above suit, failing which the matter will be heard and determined ex-parte, without any further notice.

Given under the hand and seal of this Court this 28th day of November 2023.

BY ORDER OF THIS HON'BLE COURT
Deputy Registrar, City Civil Court, Mayo Hall Unit, Bangalore.

AMEYA FADNIS, Advocate
No.245, 6th Cross, I Stage, Indiranagar, Bangalore - 560 038.

PUBLIC NOTICE

FOR PURCHASE OF PROPERTY

NOTICE is hereby given that **Mrs. Manjula R** is willing to sell the schedule property in favour of my Client **Mr. Saravanakumar S** free from all encumbrances. Any person having any right, title, interest, claim or demand of any nature whatsoever in respect of the said property, is hereby required to make the same known in writing along with the documentary proof thereof, to the below mentioned his Counsel Mr.RADESH.K, Office at Third Floor, Above Favara Car World, SMN Complex, Whitefield Main Road, Thubarahalli, Bangalore. within 07 days from the date of publication hereof, failing which the negotiations shall be completed, without any reference to such claims and the claims if any, shall be deemed to have been given up or waived.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of the Residential Apartment bearing Flat No: A-304 in the Third Floor, containing 2 Bedrooms, measuring 1304 Square Feet of super built up area (Carpet Area of 921 Square Feet) along with One covered car parking slot and 486 Square Feet of undivided share in the Project known as "WINDCHIMES", Constructed on the Property bearing Survey No: 76/1, Khata No: 1859/76/1, Municipal No: 232, measuring 37 Guntas, Situated at Varthur Village, Varthur Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk.

Contact : **Mr. RADESH BE,** LL.B, LL.M
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IN THE COURT OF THE PRINCIPAL CIVIL JUDGE RURAL DISTRICT AT BANGALORE

O.S.NO:389/2011

BETWEEN: Sri.K.Balakrishnan ...PLAINTIFF

AND: Smt. Gowramma and others **...DEFENDANTS**

ORDER V RULE 20(1A)

From, **Sri.K.Balakrishnan,** S/o T.Kandaswamy, Aged about 51 years, R/at, Flat No.203, Greenview Apartments, 2nd Main, Laughing Waters layout, Varthur Main Road, Ramagondanahalli, Whitefield (Post) Bangalore-560 066.

To, D2 **Sri. P.Narasimhamurthy,** Aged about Major, Father Name not known, R/at, Green Fortune Promoters & Developers Pvt. Ltd. No.610, Vandana Arcade, 1st Floor, 10th 'A' Main, Jayanagar, 4th Block, Bangalore-560 011.

D4 **Sri. Kailash,** The Chief Executive Officer (CEO) Green Fortune Promoters & Developers Pvt. Ltd Row House No. 1, Gold Field Enclave Society, Vidyut Nagar South Main Road, Koregaon Park, Pune-411 001.

Wherefore the Plaintiff have initiated the above Suit No.389/2011 against the Defendants. In the view of the permanent injunction and such other relief's the Defendant No 2 and D4 are hereby summoned to appear before this court in person or by a pleader on Day of **02/01/2024** at 11 o clock to answer the same falling which the Suit will be disposed off ex-party.

Given under my hand and seal of the court, on 27th Day of November 2023.

By the order of the Court, Sheristedar, PRL Civil Judges Court, Bengaluru (R) Dist., Bengaluru.

M. VISWANATHA REDDY, Advocate
No 4th Floor, Above Health Plus Multispeciality Hospital, Near St Anthony Church, T C Palya Main Road, K.R Puram Bangalore 560036.

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the general Public that my client is intending to purchase the agricultural **land bearing Sy.No.3 measuring 02 Acres 05 Guntas plus 02 Guntas of adjacent kharab land situated at Devarahalli Village, Maralavadi Hobli, Harohalli Taluk, (previously known as Kanakapura Taluk) Ramanagara District,** which is more fully described in the schedule hereunder and hereinafter called as the Schedule Property from its owners **Sri.B.M. Muniswamy S/o late Madappa and M.B.Cheluvaraju, S/o late Bonegowd, both are residing at Doddamaralavadi Village, Maralavadi Hobli, Harohalli Taluk, Ramanagara District.** The owners of the above said lands have handed over the xerox copies of the documents in respect of the above said land to my client. Any person/s having any claim, right, title, interest, share in the Schedule Property may file their objections to the undersigned with documentary proof, **within 15 days** from the date of publication of this Notice and if no valid objections are received within stipulated time, my client will proceed with assumptions that, there are no objections or claims of whatsoever nature from any person/s for purchasing the schedule property from my client. Any objection received **after 15 days** will not be entertained and my client will proceed to purchase the land in accordance with law.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All the piece and parcel of the agricultural land bearing Sy.No.3 measuring 02 Acres 05 Guntas plus 02 Guntas of adjacent kharab land situated at Devarahalli Village, Maralavadi Hobli, Harohalli Taluk, (previously known as Kanakapura Taluk) Ramanagara District, and bounded on the: **East by:** Government Halla, **West by:** Property belongs to Nagegowda S/o Kempegowda, **North by** : Property belongs to Dasegowda S/o Cheluve gowda, **South by:** Yelachakatte Doddi road thereafter Sy.No.4.

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Indian Bank — STRESSED ASSETS MANAGEMENT BRANCH
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K G Road, Bengaluru 560009

APPENDIX- IV-A [See proviso to rule 8 (6)]
Sale notice for sale of immovable properties

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable properties mortgaged / charged to the Secured Creditors, the possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officers of Indian Bank , the Secured Creditors, will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" on **dates mentioned hereunder** for recovery and charges and expenses due to Indian Bank Secured Creditor, with further interest and charges mentioned below, secured creditor from the **borrower/s Names Under mentioned.** The specific details of the properties intended to be brought to sale through e-auction mode are enumerated below:

Date and Time of Auction:19-12-2023 for Sl.No 1 and 14-12-2023 for Sl.No 2 to 3 between 11.00 AM TO 4.00 PM

SlNo :1: Name of the Borrower/s:1)Mrs. M.Tejaswini w/o M Vijay (Borrower/Mortgagor) no. 305, 38th Cross, 9th A Main Road, Jayanagar 5th Block, Bengaluru 560041.2) Mr. M. Vijay s/o Madappa, Co-borrower, no. 305, 38th Cross, 9th A Main Road, Jayanagar 5th Block, Bengaluru 560041. **For Recovery of Amount Rs. 99,35,063.00 /- (Rupees Ninety-Nine Lakh Thirty-Five Thousand and Sixty-Three only)** as on 01-10-2023 with further interest and charges and expenses

Property : All that piece and parcel of South Western Portion of Residential Property bearing New Site no. 01 (old no. 1), Municipal no. 1, PID no. 57-931-1, situated at 1st main Road, JP Nagar Ist Phase, Saraki Village, Uttarahalli Hobli and Bangalore South Taluk, presently comes under the limits of BBMP ward no. 57 measuring East to West (30+17)/2 feet, North to South (33+47)/2 feet, in all measuring 943 sq. ft and bounded on the East by Gopala Reddy's Property and remaining portion of the same property retained by the vendor, West by Postman S.A. Gopala Reddy's Property, North by BDA Property (Venkatappa Property) and South by Road.

Prior Encumbrances on property	NIL
Reserve Price	Rs 54,60,000/-
EMD Amount	Rs 5,46,000/-
Bid incremental amount	Rs 50,000/-
Date and time of e-auction	19-12-2023 11.00 AM TO 4.00 PM
Property ID No	IDIB3247620193

SlNo :2: Name of the Borrower/s:1)Mrs. Liza Rani B, w/o Mr Bheema N No. 52/A JyothiNialaya, 3rd Cross, Vijaya Bank Colony, Extension Horamavu, Bangalore - 560043. **2) Mr Bheema N** No. 52/A JyothiNialaya, 3rd Cross, Vijaya Bank Colony, Extension Horamavu, Bangalore - 560043. **For Recovery of Amount Rs. 73,38,900.00/- (Rupees Seventy-Three Lakh Thirty-Eight Thousand Nine Hundred only)** as on **31-10-2023** with further interest and charges and expenses

Property : All that piece and parcel of the immovable property bearing site No. 57, Assessment No 73., Property No 73, previously situated at Jayanthi Nagar, Horamavu Village, K R Puram Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk now assigned with BBMP Khatha No 57, presently within the limits of BBMP Bangalore; East to West 30 feet and North to South 50 feet totally measuring 1500 sq.ft. and bounded on:East by: 4 feet passage & private property,West by: Property belong to Sri. Narayanaswamy,North by: Property belong to Sri. Muniraj,South by: Road.

Prior Encumbrances on property	NIL
Reserve Price	Rs 62,04,000/-
EMD Amount	Rs 6,20,400/-
Bid incremental amount	Rs 25,000/-
Date and time of e-auction	14-12-2023 11.00 AM TO 4.00 PM
Property ID No	IDIB38000103684

SlNo :3: Name of the Borrower/s:1) Mr D Gajendra Kumar (Borrower), No. 1832, 1st Block, Sir M V Layout, Nagadevanahalli, Banaglore 56. **2) Mr Devaraju R (Guarantor),** No. 1832, 1st Block, Sir M V Layout, Nagadevanahalli, Banaglore 56
For Recovery of Amount Rs. 71,13,663.00/- (Rupees Seventy-One Lakh Thirteen Thousand Six Hundred Sixty-Three only) as on **31-10-2023** and charges and expenses

Property : All that piece and parcel of immovable flat No 002, Ground Floor 47/1 Manjunatha Residency Plot No 68, Khatha No 2082, BBMP Katha No. 68/2082/2503, Vijayasri layout, Sy. No. 47/1, Myalasandra Village, Kengeri, Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Banagalore 560 059 measuring 1455 sq.ft.: **BOUNDARIES :**East by : Road,West by : Plot No 79,North by : Plot No 69,South by: Plot No. 67.

Prior Encumbrances on property	NIL
Reserve Price	Rs 52,00,000/-
EMD Amount	Rs 5,20,000/-
Bid incremental amount	Rs 25,000/-
Date and time of e-auction	14-12-2023 11.00 AM TO 4.00 PM
Property ID No	IDIB3232991267

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Date: 27-11-2023,
Place: Bengaluru

Sd/-Authorised Officer,
Indian Bank

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Date and Time of Auction : 30-12-2023 for Sl.No 1 to 3 and 14-12-2023 for Sl No 4 between 11.00 AM TO 4.00 PM

BANGARPET BRANCH , PH :94498 64109

SlNo :1: Name of the Borrower/s:M/s Aishwarya Electornic and Home Appliance, Bangarpet (borrower) and Mrs. Manjula A W/o Ashok (Guarantor/Mortgagor). **For Recovery of Amount** Rs. 24,12,060/-.(Rupees Twenty Four Lakh Twelve Thousand Sixty Only) (as on 24/05/2023)

Property : The Residential Property measuring East to West 24 Feet and North to South 28 Feet in all measuring 672 Sq Ft. bearing Old VP Khata No. 1429, Assessment No. 2045, Present VP Khata No. 1492/2045/2 and property No. 15190070120102121O situated at Petechamanahalli Village, Doddhasala Gram Panchayath limits Kasaba Hobli, Kolar Taluk, and the same is bounded by East by: Property of Galappa,West by: Property of M Susheela,North by: Property of Krishnappa & Muniyappa,South by: 15 Feet width Road.

Prior Encumbrances on property	NIL
Reserve Price	Rs.33,92,000/-
EMD Amount	Rs.3,40,000/-
Bid incremental amount	Rs.10,000/-
Date and time of e-auction	30-12-2023 11.00 AM TO 4.00 PM
Property ID No	IDIB6400382468

HENNUR ROAD BRANCH , PH :80502 91613

SlNo :2: Name of the Borrower/s:1.M/S. Berakah Enterprises Prop-Mr. Vinod Kumar B Buisness Adress-No 582 Pwd Road Kalkere Agara Banjara Layout Bangalore-560077 .**Residence Adress-**No56/57 ANR CBlock 1st 1st main 4th cross Lake view Residency Horamavu Agara Road Near Shilpa Bakery Contact No-9900267748. **Mrs.Selvi Vinod Kumar(Guarantor)** No56/57 ANR CBlock 1st 1st main 4th cross Lake view Residency Horamavu Agara Road Near Shilpa Bakery Contact No-9900267748
For Recovery of Amount Rs. 28,56,097.00 (Rupees Twenty Lakh Fifty-Six Thousand Ninty Seven Only) (as on 27.11.2023)

Property :the Residential Plot No 19 H L Khata No 274 74, New Khata No1552 Property No 26/4 & 27/3 Situated at DoddaGubbi Village Bidarahalli Hobli, Bangalore East ,Bangalore 560077,Measuring East To West (47.6+47.3)/2 feet and north to south 30 Ft in All Measuring 1423.5 SqFt **Boundries of property:**East By-25 Feet Road, North By-Site No 18,West By-Private property , South by-Site No 20 .

Prior Encumbrances on property	NIL
Reserve Price	Rs. 3400000.00
EMD Amount	Rs. 340000.00
Bid incremental amount	Rs. 10,000/-
Date and time of e-auction	30-12-2023 11.00 AM TO 4.00 PM
Property ID No	IDIB50305853780

HALASURU BRANCH, BRANCH , PH :94498 64121

SlNo :3: Name of the Borrower/s:1.M/s Positive Imports and Exports, No. 31, 3rd Floor, CMH Road,Lakshmipuram, Halasuru, Bengaluru 560008 **2. M/s Anand Ready mades,** No.11, Someshwara Temple street, Halasuru Bengaluru 560008 .**3.Mr. Kishore J** Ranani, S/o Jashanmal Choithram Ranani, No. 16/3, Aditi Eloquant Apartment, Near Ramamurthy Police Station, Ramamurthy nagar, Bengaluru 560016. **4.Mr. Mahendra J Patel**,S/o Jethalal D Diwani,Old No. 6/1, 6/2, New No. 31,32, Ganesh Building,CMH Road,Opp. Cymitry Ground Lakshmipuram,Bengaluru 560008. **5.Mrs. Rashmi K Ranani,** W/o Mr. Kishore J Ranani,S/o Jashanmal Choithram Ranani,No. 16/3, Aditi Eloquant Apartment,Near Ramamurthy Police Station,Ramamurthy nagar,Bengaluru 560016.**6. Mrs. Savithri M** Patel, W/o Mr. Mahendra J Patel,S/o Jethalal D Diwani,Old No. 6/1, 6/2, New No. 31,32,Ganesh Building,CMH Road,Opp. Cymitry Ground Lakshmipuram,Bengaluru 560008. **For Recovery of Amount** Rs. 95,59,371.00.(Rupees Ninety five lakhs fifty nine thousand three hundred and seventy one only (as on 18/06/2023).

Property : All the piece and parcel of the Residential property bearing No. 1.Old No. 6/1, New No. 31, BBMP PID No. 82-71-31, CMH Road, Lakshmipura, Hoysala Nagar, Bangalore 560008, measuring East to West 15 feet, and North to South 50 feet totally 750 sq feet and 2.Old No. 6/2, New No. 32, BBMP PID No. 87-71-32, CMH Road, Lakshmipura, Hoysala Nagar, Bangalore 560008, Site measuring East to West 22 feet and North to South 50 feet, totally measuring 1100 sq. feet.East by: Property Owned by J D Diwani's,West by: Property owned by Papanna,North by: C M H Road,South by: Private Property.

Prior Encumbrances on property	Encumbered to Indian Bank
Reserve Price	Rs. 35798000.00
EMD Amount	Rs. 3579800.00
Bid incremental amount	Rs. 10,000/-
Date and time of e-auction	30-12-2023 11.00 AM TO 4.00 PM
Property ID No	IDIB6602402987

BANASHANAKRI 2ND STAGE BRANCH, , PH :94498 64111

SlNo :4: Name of the Borrower/s:1) M/S R R Exports partnership firm represented by its **partners** Mr N Vishwanath Jetty, No. 243/1, 1st floor, 11th main, RBI Layout, JP Nagar, 7th Phase, Bengaluru-560078 and Mr K Ravikumar, No. 505, 13th A cross, 29th Main, J P Nagar 1st Phase, Bengaluru-560078.2)**Guarantors: 1)Mr N Vishwanath Jetty, No.** 243/1, 1st floor, 11th main, RBI Layout, JP Nagar, 7th Phase, Bengaluru-560078.**2)Mr K Ravikumar,** No. 505, 13th A cross, 29th Main, J P Nagar 1st Phase, Bengaluru-560078. **3)Mrs Koushalya Vishwanath,** W/O-Mr Vishwanath Jetty, **No. 243/1, 1st floor, 11th main, RBI Layout, JP Nagar, 7th Phase, Bengaluru-560078.4)Mrs Poornima Ravikumar,** W/O- Mr K Ravikumar, No. 505, 13th A cross, 29th Main, J P Nagar 1st Phase, Bengaluru-560078.**For Recovery of Amount** Rs.2,59,87,889/- (Rupees Two crore Fifty Nine lakhs Eighty Seven thousands Eight hundred and Eighty Nine only) **(as on 02.05.2023) together with interest thereon from 03.05.2023 .**

Property : Immovable property bearing Site No.39& 40,11th Main Road, Nrupathunganagar, J P Nagar 7th Phase, Bengaluru 560078 measuring East to West 50 ft and North to South 100ft totallying to 5000 sq ft. belongs to the Mr. Ravikumar (Partner) as per document and as per Physical verification of site measuring 3710 sq ft.,Boundsry: East: Property No.38 and Property of Munikalappa,West: Road from puttenahalli to kothanur,North: 30 ft Road,South: 30 ft Road.

Prior Encumbrances on property	Nil
Reserve Price	Rs.690.12 Lakhs
EMD Amount	Rs.69.01 Lakhs
Bid incremental amount	Rs.0.10 Lakhs
Date and time of e-auction	**14-12-2023 11.00 AM TO 4.00 PM**
Property ID No	IDIB6676052231

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Date: 27-11-2023, Place: Bengaluru — **Sd/-Authorised Officer, Indian Bank**

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RO. No. 1168 Date: 25.11.2023

"e" Tender Corrigendum Notice-1

In reference e-NIT No. 02/UJVNL/ DGM(CD-II)/Lakhwar/2023-24 invited by DGM(CD-II), UJVNL, CD&H, Pashulok, Rishikesh, Dehradun for Engagement of Project Management Consultant for Lakhwar MPP (300 MW) on River Yamuna in District Dehradun, Uttarakhand, Corrigendum of bid is uploaded on the e- procurement portal.
For fuller & further details, kindly visit e-procurement portal "http://uktenders.gov.in"

DGM(CD-II), CD&H
Pashulok, Rishikesh

"AVOID WASTEFUL USE OF ELECTRICITY"

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the General publics that my client's Mr. A Manjunath intends to develop and formed the Apartments below mentioned property more fully described herein and hereinafter referred as "schedule property" its developed by Aceron Infrastructures, Vidyaranyapura, Bengaluru and any person/s, association, HUF or Entry or banks having objections to the proposed rights or having any right in the schedule property may lodge their objections and /or claims with the undersigned along with supporting documents within **14 days** from this notice's publication date. Objections/or claims received after will not be binding on my clients and client shall proceed to sale Flats as if there are no claimants/ objections.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of undeveloped converted (Residential) land to an extent of **1 (one) Acre** in **Survey No.70,** Poojanahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Devanahalli Taluk, Bengaluru Rural District, (converted vide order No. **ALN (De.Ka) SR/13/2012-13,** dated-04/10/2012, of the deputy commissioner, Bengaluru Rural District. Bounded on **East by-** Road, **West by-** Road, **North by-**Private property, **South by-** Road.

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Advocate
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DEMAND NOTICE
(Under Rule 3 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002)

The under mentioned parties are hereby informed that the Company has initiated proceedings against each of you under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002, that the notices under Section 13(2) of the Act sent to each of you separately by Regd. Post Ack. Due have been returned unserved. Hence both of you are hereby called upon to take notice to pay jointly and severally the outstanding amount within 60 days from the date of this publication, failing which the Company will proceed against the below mentioned properties to realize its dues with interests and costs as contemplated under the Act. Needless to mention that this notice is addressed to you without prejudice to any other remedy available to the Company.

Sl. No.	Name & Address of Borrower & Co-Borrower	File No. Amount (Outstanding Rs.)	Description of Immovable Property
1	**Mr. Sushil Kumar (Borrower),** No. 14, Rukmaji Lane Balepet, Bangalore - 560053. **Mrs. Teena S (Co-Borrower) Mr. Motilal Jain (Co-Borrower),** Both are residing at, No 14, Rukmaji Lane, Ballepet Cross, Chickpet, Bangalore - 560053, Karnataka.	**File No. 82700292 Rs.13,31,204/-** (+ Interest @ 24% p.a. From 30/10/2023) + Future Interest + Statutory Expenditure + Legal Expenses + Incidental Charges.	All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Survey Nos.33, 35/3, 35/4, 174 of Karpur Village and Survey Numbers 224, 184/5 and 189 of Bidargere Village, Kasaba Hobli, Anekal Taluk, together measuring 12 Acres 24.08 Gunta, situated at Karpur Village and Bidaragere Village, Kasaba Hobli, Anekal Taluk, residentially converted by the office of the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, Bangalore, vide O. M. No. ALN (A&K)SR118/2010-11 dated 23/02/2011, O.M.No. ALN (A&K) SR44/2011-12 dated 30/09/2011, O.M.No. ALN(A&K)SR47/2011-12 dated 30/09/2011, O. M. No. ALN (A&K)SR48/2011-12 dated 30/09/2011 and O.M.No. ALN(A&K) SR163/2012-13 dated 27/11/2012 respectively comes under the administrative jurisdiction of Karpur Gram Panchayat, Kasaba Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Panchayat Katha No. 293 and **bounded on:** East by: Survey No.190 of Bidaragere Village of Survey No. 32 of Karpur Village,West by: Road, North by: Survey No. 28 and 29 of Karpur Village, South by: Survey Nos.183, 184, 186, 187, 188, 192 and 193 of Bidaragere Village. **SCHEDULE-B** (Undivided Share in the Schedule A Property) An undivided share of 33.51 Square Meters, right title, and interest in the Schedule A property mentioned above proportionate to super built-up area of the Schedule C property. SCHEDULE C Apartment bearing No.809 on the 8th Floor, in the AMBER Block, A Tower in the complex known as The Greens with the built-up area of 82.68 Square Meters along with common area and one open car parking, subject to measurement after completion of the residential complex.

Notice Date : 30/10/2023

for SUNDARAM HOME FINANCE LTD.,
Authorised officer.

केनरा बैंक Canara Bank
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E-AUCTION NOTICE

SALE NOTICE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES THROUGH E-AUCTION (ONLINE AUCTION)
UNDER RULES 8(6) & (9) OF THE SECURITY INTEREST (ENFORCEMENT) RULES 2002

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EDITORIAL

Parliament should wake up and implement glasnost and perestroika in the judiciary. In the name of independence, we cannot have judicial absolutism and tyranny

V R Krishna Iyer

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— Ramnath Goenka

CHINA'S LOSS CAN BE INDIA'S BIG WINDOW OF OPPORTUNITY

INDIA'S bid to attract foreign capital just received a shot in the arm. Foxconn announced in an exchange filing that it will invest $1.6 billion on several projects in India. Though the details are not yet known, the funds are for 'operational' needs, possibly to set up two factories in Karnataka for the manufacture and assembly of iPhones. This is one among many examples where Foxconn, also known as Hon Hai, and other Taiwanese manufacturers are continuing to exit China in preference for countries such as India, Vietnam, Malaysia and Indonesia. Big US multinationals have also announced they are diversifying their investments. Intel and Microsoft are moving some operations from China to the US. Nike and Dell said they will relocate to Vietnam and Mexico.

There is a growing disenchantment with China. The political climate under Xi Jinping has turned increasingly nationalistic and unstable. Their post-pandemic rebound has been tepid because of a real estate slump and growing local government debt. The uncertainty has pushed Chinese families to save rather than spend, thereby depressing demand. In August, foreign investors pulled out $12 billion from Chinese equities, while India saw a net inflow of $1.5 billion. India is scoring over China on growth too: the IMF has predicted India's real economy will grow at 6.3 percent through 2023 and 2024, while China will grow at 5.0 percent and 4.2 percent.

Pandemic-induced supply chain disruptions are continuing to sink in everywhere. In India, private aviation consultancy CAPA has predicted as many as 200 of India's 789 aircraft may be grounded by end-March because of supply chain issues. China's disruption as the intermediate manufacturer to the world has opened an enormous window for India, if she gets it right. China became the world's manufacturer of choice for four reasons: low labour costs and a young workforce; government support through tax breaks and subsidies; good infrastructure of airports, ports and communication; and a strong technology sector to lean on. Apple, which has led the investment shift from China to India, has cited all these reasons, underlining that a vast skilled workforce and the scope to increase sales in India if it manufactured locally were the clinching factors. India seems to have had a good start. Creating a stampede of investors will now depend on two factors—whether we can reduce red tape and how quickly we can provide the necessary infrastructure.

ENFORCE LAW STRICTLY ON FEMALE FOETICIDE

THE practice of female foeticide continues to thrive in India—sex determination is surreptitiously carried out and female foetuses are illegally aborted. One such racket was recently unearthed in Karnataka. A doctor and his lab technician allegedly performed around 900 such abortions over three years in a Mysuru hospital, charging ₹30,000 per case, while ultrasound scans were carried out at a jaggery-making unit in Mandya. The team has been arrested under the 1994 law that bans such practices. Three decades after the Act was passed, violation of which is punishable with a jail term of three to five years and a fine of ₹10,000-50,000, the medical community continues to indulge in this crime, catering to a society still steeped in patriarchy—caste, class and religion no bar.

Of the many reasons for female foeticide, the foremost ones are the fear of dowry and violence against women and the assumption of financial security in old age. More often than not, the upper echelons of society are obsessed with having a male child despite their claimed advancements in education and other social indices. India's sex ratio at birth (females for every 1,000 males) stood at 933 in 2022-23, a rise from the all-time low of 896 in 2015-17. Overall, the all-India ratio for 2023 has increased to 943. But there is a partial North-South split—the sex ratio in Kerala is 1084, Tamil Nadu 995 and Andhra Pradesh 992; while Gujarat stands at 918, Uttar Pradesh at 908 and Haryana at 877. The skew underlines the regressive parochialism towards women in general. Karnataka's ratio, at 968, is nothing to be proud of—cases of female foeticide are still common in Mandya and the backward districts of North Karnataka.

Female foeticide and infanticide are two of the earliest forms of discrimination against the girl child. It continues throughout her life in education, healthcare, work opportunities, wages and property rights. She is treated like a liability and has to make do with less, starting with food. This attitude is showing a worrying resistance to change despite Indian women having broken a number of glass ceilings. Society must realise that women today run companies and countries. Education and awareness are key, with stiffer penalties for violators. If half the population has to struggle for equity, it will slow down the whole nation's progress.

QUICK TAKE

ALLOW MORE VISA-FREE ENTRIES

AFTER Thailand and Sri Lanka, Vietnam and Malaysia this week announced visa-free entry for Indians. They add to the list of 25 nations and territories that welcome Indians in without a visa. The moves are aimed at raising tourist arrivals beyond pre-pandemic highs. Take Malaysia—2.8 lakh Indians visited the country in the first half of 2023, against 3.5 lakh in the first half of 2019. India, which is trying to jump-start its own tourism sector after the pandemic slump, should reciprocate in kind. We extend the courtesy only to three neighbouring nations at present. This is the moment to open the door wider and boost the job-creating tourism sector.

The Indian judiciary is digitalising substantial parts of its workload. While doing so, it should mind the existing gaps in connectivity, access and skills

LEAP TO E-JUDICIARY NEEDS TO COVER THREE DIVIDES

AMAR PATNAIK

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SOURAV ROY

AT a time when technology is transforming India's governance institutions, the judiciary is no exception. There is a tide of innovation underway in the judiciary, which is being steered by the Chief Justice of India, D Y Chandrachud. The eCourts Mission, the nodal project to drive the digitalisation of the judiciary, was conceptualised in 2005 to enhance court infrastructure through information and communication technologies. It has since evolved to explore advanced applications like artificial intelligence, blockchain and the internet of things.

At the heart of the digitalisation vision lies a network of audiovisual link technologies that seamlessly connect diverse justice spaces. Physical courtrooms and physical filing of documents have been supplemented with paperless courts, virtual court proceedings and e-filing services, enabling litigants to file cases and participate in the legal processes from remote towns and cities without having to travel long distances. This has brought down costs, making justice accessible, affordable and qualitatively better. In addition, digital case management systems have tremendous potential to reduce backlogs and delays.

This benefits everyone, particularly individuals who might otherwise face lengthy waits for justice, and aligns well with Sustainable Development Goal number 16 of the United Nations that envisages enhanced access to justice for all. However, this well-intentioned intervention also has several challenges which need to be addressed successfully to obtain optimum benefits from the new system. Digital divide in the legal arena manifests itself in three ways: the connectivity divide, the access divide and the skill divide.

Connectivity divide: Despite efforts to improve digital connectivity, broadband access still remains woefully poor. A 2021 survey by former Chief Justice N V Ramana's office revealed that 10 percent of trial courts still lacked internet facilities. Further, telecom infrastructure development varies among states; for example, Odisha's tele-density at 75 percent is below the national average of 85 percent. Compounding this problem are the rural-urban digital divide, frequent internet shutdowns, and a lack of uninterrupted power supply

Access divide: Inadequate equipment and infrastructure are persistent issues affecting all judicial stakeholders including judges, lawyers and litigants. Lawyers in rural areas and emerging legal talents face a distinct disadvantage due to lower incomes, worsening the access divide. For instance, according to the data released by the Telecom Regulatory Authority of India in January this year, the rural wireless tele-density in India stood at a mere 57.54 percent. Within that, the prevalence of smartphones would be even lower. However, law firms endowed with advanced equipment and seamless internet access gain a palpable edge.

When it comes to the judiciary, the 2021 survey showed that just 27 percent of subordinate judiciary courtrooms had computers on judges' desks. Additional data from the Supreme Court's e-courts committee revealed that out of 17,920 courtrooms, only 3,477 had video-conferencing facilities.

Skill divide: Another concern is India's widespread digital illiteracy, with only 38 percent of households being digitally literate according to Oxfam's *India Inequality Report 2022: Digital Divide*. Some advocates are apprehensive about potential disparities among courts at various levels and the prospect of losing financial and business opportunities if technology assumes a more prominent role in judicial processes than the case itself.

It has been 18 years since the Supreme Court's e-committee introduced its initial action plan for digitalisation. However, digital processes are yet to become standard practice. Although e-filing cases are prevalent, some judges, especially in lower courts, still favour physical copies, rendering redundant the e-filing system. Digitising case files is also progressing slowly at some high courts and most district courts. Moreover, the progress achieved during the Covid-19 pandemic appears to have been reversed as most high courts have dismantled the digital systems created during that time, as observed by Justice Chandrachud in his speeches.

Privacy concerns are magnified in the digital era. While the new privacy law has allowed for some exceptions in data management for judicial purposes, significant questions remain unanswered regarding the data related to judicial actors and litigants. Furthermore, using third-party software to store such information and carry out judicial proceedings such as virtual hearings present a significant security risk.

Another unique set of challenges to technology in the judiciary comes from the use of artificial intelligence. Any algorithms used in the judicial process must meet high standards of explainability. The Supreme Court has launched an AI-powered portal called SUPACE, or Supreme Court Portal for Assistance in Court's Efficiency, to assist judges in case management. SUVAS or the Supreme Court Vidhik Anuvaad Software is a machine-assisted translation tool trained by AI. However, the use of algorithms for listing cases will raise questions of fairness of the underlying priorities if the algorithms are opaque. With the rise of generative AI, we must ask to what extent these platforms can be used to provide legal assistance and when such content might amount to unlicensed practice of law.

The digitalisation process of the Indian judiciary should be viewed as an extension of the similar adoption happening in the executive and legislative branches of the government. Within the context of judicial proceedings, it is imperative to consider robust internal regulations for three primary stakeholders: judges, lawyers and litigants. It should address unequal access to devices and technological infrastructure, issues related to bandwidth and connectivity, and varying levels of proficiency and familiarity with technology so that the delivery of justice is equitable in the true sense of the term.

The first interface for people in the judicial system is the district judiciary, so it is of paramount importance to focus on strengthening the infrastructure at this level. It is also imperative to implement state-of-the-art standards in information and cybersecurity. Even while providing an open-access architecture using India's very successful digital public infrastructure, full compliance with privacy and data protection legislation has to be ensured.

(Views are personal.)

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THREE COMMANDMENTS FOR CORPORATE LEADERS

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BUILDING BUSINESSES

IT is a long and tough struggle up the greasy pole for a corporate leader. This is true even in sports, as evidenced by the recent cricket World Cup. In my experience, after reaching the top, it is tougher to stay up there. Two risks—arrogance and losing touch with reality—are common and the subject of much commentary. A third and more subtle risk arises from the challenge for the leader on his duty, goals and rewards. It is worthwhile to reflect a bit on these three terms.

Duty to all stakeholders: A leader's duty is not towards only shareholders but towards all stakeholders. This subject has garnered rich commentary and insights in the public domain, so I feel relieved of the burden of amplifying the point. Instead, I recall a light-hearted but true anecdote from the 1970s. At the AGM of the erstwhile Tata Oil Mills, an elderly shareholder bemoaned the low dividend announced by wondering aloud what he would say to his frail wife. J R D Tata offered several approaches—meeting him after the AGM, discussing later with the CEO, selling his shares, and so on. The shareholder continued whining. Finally, in light-hearted exasperation, J R D said, "If none of these approaches is acceptable to you, then I might ask you to consider changing your wife."

Another episode from 12 years ago comes to mind. Tata Chemicals had set its sights on developing a project on the edge of Lake Natron in the Rift Valley, Tanzania, to mine naturally-occurring soda ash. The company had spent several million dollars on pre-project studies. At this advanced stage, it received information that the project would disturb the natural habitat and nesting site of the little flamingo. The board scrapped the project and took the hit of a write-off in one quarter with transparent communication to shareholders. Stakeholder consideration rightly overrode shareholder gain.

Compartmentalise goals: Leaders must be strongly driven by business goals and lightly driven by personal goals; these can mix easily unless separated consciously. Perhaps four lessons from Indian traditional wisdom are worthy of recall: know yourself, protect your resources, serve others before self and act with compassion.

Unconsciously, leaders make disproportionate commitments to personal goals, which end up impeding the achievement of business goals. For example, among some startup founders, the drive to become personally wealthy by making their company a unicorn is overpowering. A premature initial public offering, unwarranted promises to investors, or undesirable levels of founder publicity might dominate the agenda of the leader to the disadvantage of the firm. It is possible that such a weakness affected Theranos and WeWork abroad, and Oyo and Byju in India.

TATA GROUP

J R D Tata once tried to counsel a shareholder who was whining about having to break the news of low dividends to his wife. When the grumbling didn't stop, Tata joked, "I might ask you to consider changing your wife." It showed Tata's duty to all stakeholders, an essential trait. The others are keeping personal goals separate from professional ones and not obsessing over rewards

In my experience, many business goals can be aimed for directly; however, some business goals, and for sure personal goals, are better aimed for obliquely. The principle of obliquity states that in complex systems, which are imperfectly understood and where the cause and effect have an unclear relationship, goals are best achieved when pursued indirectly. The reason is that the complex system changes its nature as we engage with it. That is why great leaders deal actively with those factors they can influence and let things that are outside their control unravel. That is why there can be two kinds of luck—earned and unearned.

Don't obsess over rewards: The idea about matters that are outside your control makes a silent case for leaders to avoid setting their eyes on rewards. In the western discourse on management, it is natural for leaders to aspire for the rewards of their success. In the Indian philosophical approach, it is highly undesirable. Indian managers have difficulty in reconciling these contradictory approaches, having inherited the Indian ethos through their upbringing but having been schooled in western management pedagogy. It is worthwhile to read Ashok S Ganguly, former chairman of Hindustan Lever. A modern management leader and also a traditionalist, he makes this nuanced point in his recent book, *Afterness: Home and Away*.

A memorable narrative from childhood flashes in my mind. In 1951, 37-year-old Kurt Carlsen, captain of the freighter, the *Flying Enterprise*, encountered a life-threatening storm in the Atlantic Ocean. As duty demanded of the captain, Carlsen stayed on the ship till the last passenger had been safely evacuated. The ship could not be saved. Near the port of Falmouth, the captain jumped into the waters and swam to the safety of the shores. On the shore, cheering crowds awaited him with a hero's welcome. He was offered $250,000 by a newspaper for an exclusive story. He was cold to praise and such adulation, insisting, "I did only what I was supposed to do."

What reward did he want? He desired one more opportunity to command a ship. And he was given that job to captain the *Flying Enterprise II*. This narrative encompasses all the terms used in this article—duty, goals, obliquity and rewards.

Holocaust survivor Viktor Frankl wrote in his book, *Man's Search for Meaning*, "Don't aim at success—the more you aim at it and make it a target, the more you are going to miss it... Success will follow you precisely because you had forgotten to think about it." How right he was.

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Money games

Ref: *Guard against deep pockets bagging all star IPL players and Blame game keeps cash play on in Telangana* (Nov 28). In Telangana, parties are trying to woo the electorate with cash. Voters are conditioned to receive money. In cricket and politics, rules are there to be broken and money bags matter a lot to come to power or the podium. At the end of the day, there is no guarantee that a franchise or a party that spent the most money will win.
Parthasarathy Mandadi, Tirupati

Systemic flaw

Ref: *Blame game keeps cash play on in Telangana* (Nov 28). The labyrinth of cash flow persists in Telangana elections. Seizures reflect a mere fraction of the actual expenditure, highlighting a systemic flaw. Breaking this cycle requires a collective commitment from parties, an unlikely prospect given entrenched practices.
Ramana N D, Tiruvannamalai

Escape route

Ref: *Human compassion, not religion, the answer to the global solution* (Nov 28). People are willing to believe in God since it makes them feel they have a place to go after death. It is an escape from the bitter truth that one's biochemical processes end slowly and the body becomes a part of the carbon cycle.
Athul S S, Kozhikode

Human compassion

C P Surendran is eloquent in expressing his atheistic approach to life. But he hasn't shown how to achieve 'human compassion'. And why hasn't it succeeded in the atheist-communist governments such as the USSR and China? And why hasn't even a bit of compassion been demonstrated in communist states such as West Bengal, Kerala and Tripura?
U Atreya Sarma, email

Reading habit

Ref: *Reading our way into the future* (Nov 27). The reading habit has reduced significantly and like the columnist pointed out, social media has made it worse. Many see Instagram posts for news and YouTube shorts for history instead of verifying sources. Technology is moving at a fast pace, so I am doubtful if reading is going to sustain itself.
Geethika, email

Covid medicine

Ref: *Higher dose of Covid-19 drug may have less effect on Indians than Europeans* (Nov 28). In India, there are unique challenges and factors that may prevent the drug from working effectively. But the higher dose didn't cause more problems for Indian patients.
Aditya Kamble, Kalaburagi

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POSTS OF THE DAY

Sharad Pawar @PawarSpeaks
Activists are on indefinite hunger strike as milk unions are not giving mandatory ₹34 per litre. The government needs to take immediate action in this regard.

Mayawati @Mayawati
The government and opposition should do less politics and work for the public interest and remove the backwardness of UP.

Amarinder Singh Raja Warring @RajaBrar_INC
Farmers have not received any compensation. They are still on the roads. The government is doing nothing other than making announcements.

'Narrow-mindedness': SC junks plea on Pak artistes

JAISON WILSON @ New Delhi

THE Supreme Court on Tuesday dismissed a plea seeking a comprehensive ban on Pakistani artistes, including those involved in cinema, singing, music, lyrics, and technical roles, who come to India for performances or work.

Filed by Faaiz Anwar Qureshi, a self-proclaimed cine worker and artist, the appeal challenged a Bombay High Court decision deeming the petition without merit.

Justices Sanjiv Khanna and SVN Bhatti upheld the High Court's ruling, stating, "We are not inclined to interfere with the impugned judgment, and hence, the special leave petition is dismissed."

The bench advised the petitioner against pursuing the appeal, cautioning against narrow-mindedness.

The petitioner sought a court directive for the central government to impose a complete ban on engaging with Pakistani artists, including cine workers, singers, musicians, lyricists, and technicians.

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> Justices Sanjiv Khanna and SVN Bhatti

The Bombay High Court rejected the plea, emphasizing that such measures would undermine cultural harmony, unity, and peace.

The High Court remarked that true patriotism doesn't necessitate hostility towards those from abroad, especially neighboring countries.

It stressed that a genuine patriot embraces activities fostering peace, harmony, and tranquility. The court cited the example of the World Cricket Cup in India, where the participation of the Pakistani cricket team was facilitated by positive initiatives from the Indian government in line with Article 51 of the Constitution, promoting international peace and security.

Refusing to expunge certain remarks made by the High Court against the petitioner, the Supreme Court upheld the importance of international peace and harmony in the context of positive governmental initiatives.

Call Hamas a terror outfit: Israel envoy

'Hamas leader's virtual address in Kerala would not have happened if India had taken step'

YESHI SELI @ New Delhi

ISRAEL recently designated Lashkar-e-Toiba (LeT) as a terrorist organisation, citing its involvement in the 26/11 terror attack in Mumbai targeting Jews. Israeli Ambassador to India, **Naor Gilon**, expressed optimism that India would label Hamas as a terror organisation. "We did whatever was expected from our side. Now it is for the Indian government to decide — if, where, how, how fast," Gilon said. He mentioned the potential prevention of Hamas leader Khaled Mashal's virtual address in Kerala if India had taken this step earlier.

Days after the October 7 Hamas attack on Israeli cities, Israel urged India to designate the group as a terrorist entity. Gilon described Israel's ban on LeT as a "gesture" 15 years after the Mumbai terror attack, emphasising expanding anti-terror cooperation.

Meanwhile, following weeks of fighting, Israel and Hamas

agreed on a four-day pause, extended by another two days. Gilon reported the complete destruction of Hamas's infrastructure in northern Gaza, focusing on cleaning up the southern part after the current pause. Approximately 175 Israeli hostages in Palestine raised concerns about those held by Palestinian Islamic Jihad in tunnels. Israel plans to extend the ceasefire until the hostages are released, initiating an offensive in southern Gaza afterward.

Israel anticipates more Indian workers, with 18,000 already working there. Both countries signed government-to-government protocols for additional workers in agriculture and construction.

Expressing dissatisfaction with the UN's perceived bias, Israel criticised the organisation for showing concern over civilian deaths in Palestine without extending the same sentiment to Israeli hostages.

Israeli President Isaac Herzog's scheduled trip to the UAE for the COP 28 Summit may involve a potential meeting with Prime Minister Modi, according to Ambassador Gilon. He praised India's "remarkable" position on the Gaza crisis, particularly Prime Minister Modi's strong denunciation of Hamas's terror attack on October 7. When asked about India's decision to abstain from a UN General Assembly resolution on the Israel-Hamas conflict and later support some UN resolutions on the same issue, Gilon commended India's consistent and noteworthy stance on the Gaza crisis since the beginning.

Gilon stated that around 30,000 Hamas terrorists existed, with several thousand killed in Israeli operations. He affirmed Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu's government's determination to eliminate Hamas, mentioning that around 1,500 terrorists were killed by Israeli forces on October 7 in response to Hamas's attacks on Israeli cities.

Arab nations firmly support Palestine

Envoys of Arab countries expressed solidarity to Palestines in Delhi and claimed that over 15,000 people have been killed in the war between Israel and Palestine. "Israel has violated international law. Every single Israeli has expanded its settlement in West Bank which is not legal. UNSC and UNGA consider it illegal," said Palestinian Ambassador to India, Adnan Abu Alhaija.

ISRO, NASA likely to launch remote sensing satellite in 1st half of '24

RAJESH KUMAR THAKUR @ New Delhi

IF everything goes as per plan, India and the US will launch a joint microwave remote sensing satellite for Earth observation named NASA-ISRO Synthetic Aperture Radar (NISAR) onboard ISRO's GSLV in the first quarter of 2024.

To discuss this, a high-level delegation of NASA, led by its administrator and US astronaut Bill Nelson called on science & technology and space minister Dr Jitendra Singh on Tuesday.

Sharing this, Dr Singh said that NISAR is slated for launch onboard India's GSLV and data received from this will be useful for studying the land ecosystem, deformation of solid earth, mountain and polar cryosphere, sea ice and coastal oceans.

Nelson, congratulating Dr Singh for the successful launch of Chandrayaan-III, urged for expediting the program related to India's first astronaut aboard a NASA rocket to the International Space Station.

It's pertinent to mention here that during the recent visit of PM Narendra Modi to the US, both the countries had agreed to launch a two-week joint India-US Space flight next year.

Dr Singh in a statement said that NASA is identifying an opportunity in the Private Astronaut Mission for Indian Astronaut in 2014. In fact, ISRO and NSA have formed a joint working group on human spaceflight cooperation and exploring cooperation in radiation impact studies, micro-meteorite and orbital debris shields studies.

The 8th meeting of this group was held in Washington DC in January, 2023.

Dr Singh further said that India has booming space sector startups since PM Modi initiated reforms in the sector.

"Within a span of 4 years, the number of space startups has gone up from a mere single digit to over 150," the minister said.

ISRO is also exploring the feasibility of utilising NASA's hypervelocity Impact Test (HVIT) facility for testing Gaganyaan module micrometeoroid and orbital debris protection shields.

BILL NELSON LAUDS ISRO FOR HAVING 231 SATELLITES FROM USA

Bill Nelson had flown with the crew of the 24th Space Shuttle flight onboard 'Columbia' in 1986. He lauded the ISRO for having 231 satellites from US, onboard Polar Satellite Launch Vehicle (PSLV). Bill Nelson will meet India's astronaut Rakesh Sharma also in Bengaluru on Wednesday. Nelson, congratulating Dr Singh for the successful launch of Chandrayaan-III, urged for expediting the program related to India's first astronaut aboard a NASA rocket to the International Space Station. ISRO is also exploring the feasibility of utilising NASA's hypervelocity Impact Test facility for testing Gaganyaan module micrometeoroid.

BODYLINE

Cong moves EC against PM, Shah jibes at Rahul

PREETHA NAIR @ New Delhi

A Congress delegation on Tuesday met the Election Commission of India and sought action against Prime Minister Narendra Modi and Home Minister Amit Shah over violation of the Election Code of Conduct.

The party also raised the issue of the alleged tampering of postal ballots by the district electoral officer in Balaghat, Madhya Pradesh and sought immediate action against the officer concerned.

Senior Congress leaders Abhishek Manu Singhvi, Salman Khurshid, Gurdeep Singh Sappal, Pranav Jha and Vineet Punia submitted the memorandum in this regard.

Singhvi said that the complaints were on three specific violations, one by PM and other two by the Home Minister with video recordings.

The delegation told the commission that the complaint had been filed on November 24, however no action has been taken so far. Singhvi observed that it was a matter of the credibility of the EC that it should not be seen as not taking action against the mighty and powerful.

"We write to bring to your attention on repeated and egregious violations of the Model Code of Conduct, as well as other election laws, being committed by PM Narendra Modi and Amit Shah as part of the BJP's campaigns across various poll-bound states," said the memorandum.

Railways rakes in ₹54k cr from e-ticketing in '22-'23

RAJESH KUMAR THAKUR @ New Delhi

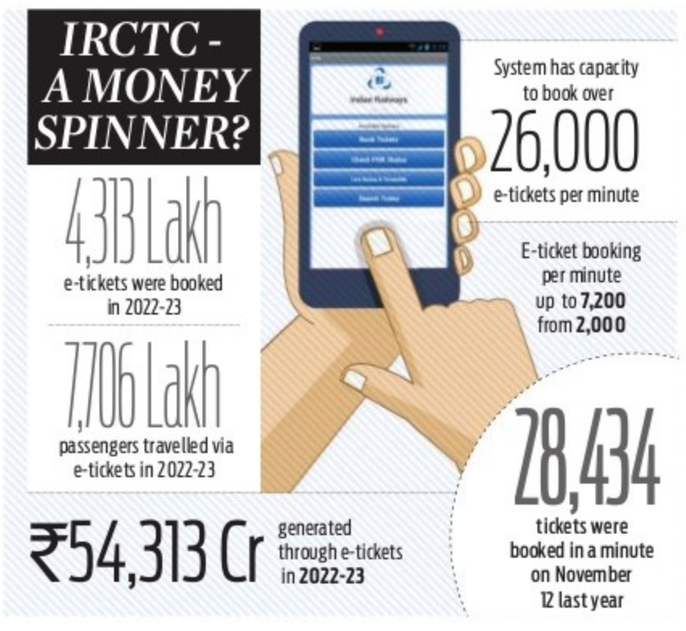
FOLLOWING Prime Minister Narendra Modi's push for widespread online usage and digitisation in 2014, the Indian Railway (IR) has achieved record e-ticketing revenue through its user-friendly internet ticketing service. From 2014-15 to 2022-23, there has been consistent growth in online ticket bookings, coupled with a notable surge in e-ticketing revenue. In the fiscal year 2022-23 alone, 4,313 lakh e-tickets were booked, compared to 4,174 lakh in the preceding year.

The railway's revenue trajectory reflects its financial resilience, with earnings rising from ₹20,621 crore in 2014-15 to ₹54,313 crore in 2022-23, except for a dip to ₹17,762 crore in 2020-21 due to the COVID-19 outbreak.

The Indian Railway Catering and Tourism Corporation Limited (IRCTC), authorised to facilitate online ticket booking through internet-enabled applications and websites, has played a pivotal role in this success. Despite a brief disruption during the COVID-19 pandemic in 2020-21, the upward trend in internet-based railway ticket bookings persisted. In 2022-23, a total of 7,706 lakh passengers traveled by booking 4,313 lakh e-tickets, marking a significant recovery from the impact of the pandemic in 2020-21 when only 3,053 lakh passengers traveled using 1,740 lakh e-tickets.

The implementation of the Next-Generation E-ticketing (NGet) system has played a crucial role in enhancing efficiency. The NGet system, capable of booking over 26,000 e-tickets per minute, achieved a remarkable feat on November 12, 2022, with a record-breaking 28,434 tickets booked in a minute. This system has significantly contributed to the railway's success in online ticketing, with revenue reaching Rs 54,313 crore in 2022-23.

Additionally, the railway has extended its online ticketing services to various paramilitary forces, including the launch of an e-ticketing portal for the Indo-Tibet Border Police in February 2023. The IRCTC now serves seven Central Para Military Forces, including NSG, CRPF, NDRF, AR, CISF, BSF, and ITBP. In 2022-23, CRPF led with 6,24,345 e-ticket bookings, followed by BSF with 1,72,631 e-ticket bookings.

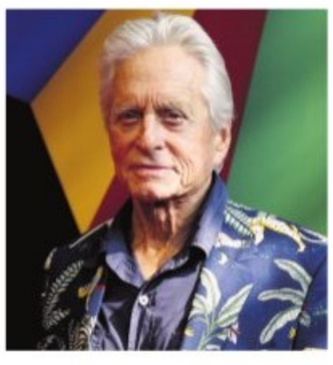


Evening of awards as IFFI 54 comes to an end

SUDHIR SRINIVASAN @ Panaji

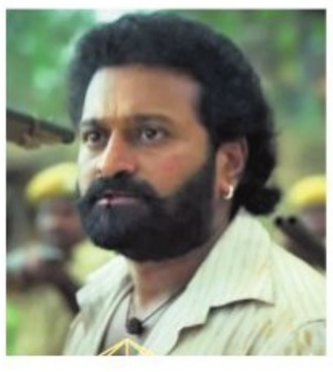
THE 54th International Film Festival of India, Goa, came to a close amid plenty of cheering. Awards were very many and spanned international and Indian talent. While Persian film, Endless Borders, was the recipient of the Golden Peacock for Best Film award, Bulgarian director Stephan Komandarev won the Silver Peacock for his film, Blaga's Lessons.

The Best Actor and Actress awards went to Pouria Rahimi Sam (Endless Borders) and Melanie Thierry (Party of Fools) respectively, but the loudest cheers were for **Michael Douglas**, the recipient of the Satyajit Ray Lifetime Achievement Award, who delivered his acceptance speech in the presence of wife, Catherine Zeta Jones. "I am grateful to all my mentors, all the technicians who have been a part of my 55-year-old career. I dedicate this award to my father,



Kirk Douglas, who was an icon to the public, but was always a father to me," he said. Catherine, who was requested to speak on the occasion, said, "I just wanted to be his wife today, and didn't expect to come on stage for a speech. It's an honour to return to India for this recognition."

Goa CM Pramod Sawant expressed his pleasure at the growth of IFFI. "I'm overwhelmed by the response. Goa has truly become a hub of cinematic excellence," he said.



Also in attendance was **Rishab Shetty**, whose film, Kantara, was played in IFFI, and won the Special Jury Award. "The culture that you see in the film... I belong to it. The rituals that you see are all from my village. We worship that god. We never expected that a film about our culture, our god, would take us this far," he said. More applause followed when a teaser of his upcoming prequel, Kantara: A Legend Chapter 1, was screened at the event.

It was fascinating to see this festival that screened films from 78 countries, ending, as Ayushmann Khurrana pointed out that he didn't much care for international laurels. "How local, how rooted our stories are, determines how global they get. Rishab Shetty is an inspiration for me," he said. Earlier in the ceremony, the international jury chairperson, Shekar Kapur, said something similar: "With all the wars going, all the conflicts, it's important to tell our stories. Stories are about discovering who we are, about sharing that with others."

Everyone's favourite portion of the ceremony came when officers of the Himachal police department performed a mini-concert, belting out patriotic songs with the vocal control of professional musicians. The humanity of these cops came through as they sang and danced in uniform, and that's its own commentary on the power of art on the final day of this film festival.

Navy's proposal for 2nd indigenous aircraft carrier gets DAC approval

MAYANK SINGH @ New Delhi

IN a move towards the government approval for the second Indigenous Aircraft Carrier, the Defence Procurement Board has moved ahead with the proposal of the Indian Navy.

The sources confirmed the decision of the DPB and added that the same, along with the other proposals will be placed before the Defence Acquisition Council (DAC) soon.

The DPB is the body constituted to vet the capital proposals of the services which are eventually placed before the Defence Minister chaired DAC. As per procedure, it is the DAC that grants the Acceptance of Necessity (AoN) which sets the procedure for acquisition.

As reported earlier, files for another indigenous aircraft carrier were already in advanced stages and will get the government approval. Besides,

the plan for the third and larger aircraft carrier is in motion, the source said.

This newspaper reported in February that in order to maintain its operational capabilities, the Indian Navy would continue the study for its third indigenous aircraft carrier which will be larger than the IAC-2. The Navy's confirmations for the IAC-2 on the lines of the IAC-1 commissioned as INS Vikrant were given with the document works being completed in December 2022.

It was on the sidelines of Aero India 2023 that Chief of Naval Staff Admiral R Hari Kumar said, "Initially, we will go for the repeat order with improved capabilities. In meantime, we will go for a study of larger carriers. By the time a third aircraft is commissioned, the life-span of INS Vikramaditya may end."

Some changes were made to the initial plans of IAC 2 which was supposed to be bigger than IAC 1 in size. The size of INS Vikrant is 44,000 tonnes and we wanted the IAC2 to be around 65,000 tonnes.

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POLL SEASON

The Rajasthan Police made an all-time high seizure of electoral inducements like cash, liquor and narcotics worth ₹436 crore during the recently concluded assembly polls in the state, officials said Tuesday.

02 JUMBOS KILLED IN SEPERATE INCIDENTS IN ASSAM

INDIA	Max	Min		Max	Min
Ahmedabad	42	27	Mumbai	35	29
Bhopal	43	28	Panaji	32	28
Jaipur	41	30	Patna	41	27
Amritsar	40	23	Lucknow	42	27
Chennai	39	30	Port Blair	34	28
Kolkata	36	26	Imphal	23	18
Srinagar	18	08	Chandigarh	42	23

BJP, Cong get down to numbers game

40 seats in Rajasthan, where rebels and independents are in fray, can swing it either way

RAJESH ASNANI @ Jaipur

People stand in queue at a polling booth to vote on Nov 26 | PTI

IN Rajasthan, the post-polling discussions revolve around the high voter turnout, especially in 40 seats marked by triangular or quadrangular contests. These seats, featuring party rebels, strong independents, or third-party candidates, are pivotal in shaping the outcome of the Rajasthan elections, where a tight battle is anticipated between the Congress and the BJP. The parties are actively strategising to attract potential winners among independents and rebels, with considerable focus on these critical seats.

The cause behind the significant voter turnout remains unclear, whether stemming from anti-incumbency sentiments, support for the ruling party, or the extension of the voting period by two hours. This question is more pronounced in rural areas than urban centers. The complexity deepens with increased participation from women and substantial voting in multi-cornered seats.

The substantial voting in over three dozen multi-cornered seats raises the question of whether independents or third parties could significantly impact the formation of a new government in Rajasthan. Despite the election results being scheduled for December 3, both major parties are already engaged in political maneuvering, attempting to build alliances with independents and rebels strategically positioned in electoral calculations. Internally, efforts are intensified within both parties to establish connections with their rebels and leaders of regional parties.

Of the total 199 seats contested in Rajasthan, 40 seats witness triangular or quadrilateral conflicts, with 20 seats featuring strong candidates from regional parties, including rebels from both the Congress and BJP. The importance of these seats has escalated, with both parties closely monitoring seats where rebels and independents hold sway. The focus is on forming a government by garnering support from winning independents, should a majority not be secured.

With four days remaining until the election results, the think tanks of the Congress and BJP are proactively devising strategies to navigate the outcomes on December 3. Both parties are reaching out to rebels and regional party leaders, anticipating the need for alliances to secure a majority.

The Congress, aiming for a clear majority, is also formulating a strategy to return to power. Chief Minister Ashok Gehlot is actively involved in assessing the voting feedback, estimating the impact of Congress initiatives on women voters. The party believes it has gained additional votes and improved its position, with expectations of winning more than 20 seats through independents and leaders of other parties.

Key seats witnessing three-cornered contests include Lunkaransar, Didwana, Sawai Madopur, Baseri, and Nagaur. Additionally, four-cornered contests are observed in seats like Barmer's Shiv, Bassi, and Udaipurwati.

While both major parties officially assert their confidence in securing a majority, insiders acknowledge ongoing efforts to assess potential winners and independents, underscoring the strategic importance of these critical seats in shaping the post-election landscape.

Impact of third parties?

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Fissures in Gupkar Alliance as NC, PDP spar over BJP link

FAYAZ WANI @ Srinagar

THE National Conference (NC) and Peoples Democratic Party (PDP), the two major constituents of Gupkar Alliance on Article 370 restoration in Jammu and Kashmir, are engaged in a war of words on their past connection with the BJP. The war of words has caused unease in the five parties Gupkar Alliance.

Former J&K Chief Minister and NC vice president Omar Abdullah last week blamed the PDP-BJP tie-up for depriving J&K of its unique constitutional position.

"Had the PDP accepted unconditional support of NC following the 2014 Assembly elections, the situation would have been entirely different. Decision of 2019 (Article 370 abrogation) could have been averted had PDP accepted our support to keep BJP away from corridors of power. Unfortunately, PDP-BJP tie-up cost the entire region its unique constitutional position, pushing its people to the wall," he said.

The NC and Congress had offered support to PDP to form a grand alliance government in J&K post 2014 Assembly polls . However, PDP aligned with the BJP to form the coalition government headed by former PDP patron late Mufti Mohammad Sayeed. Reacting to Omar's charge, senior PDP leader and former MLC Firdous Tak accused NC of holding secret meetings with BJP in New Delhi in January 2015.

"In Jan 2015, series of meetings were held with BJP policy makers in a 5 star hotel in Delhi. Former Intel bosses and top media friends were used to broker a deal. PDP was projected as a frontal organisation of Jamaat and detrimental to national security. Power was the sole objective (sic)," Tak posted on X.

PDP's alliance with BJP

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India's first third-gender MLA in trouble

Country's first third gender MLA Shabnam "Mausi" Bano is in trouble for not depositing her licensed pistol with authorities in pursuance with model code of conduct in force for the MP assembly polls. Shabnam, who holds two licensed weapons, deposited the double-barrel gun with authorities, but didn't do the same with the pistol, owing to which a case of model code of conduct violation was lodged against her. The pistol's licence too has been cancelled. Shabnam had become the first third gender person to be elected an MLA in the country, when she won the by-election from Sohagpur seat of Shahdol in 2000.

30 outgoing MLAs asked to vacate official houses

As many as 30 outgoing MLAs – who were not fielded in the November 17 MP assembly polls by either the BJP or the Congress — have been served eviction notice by the authorities to vacate their official residences. These MLAs, include three turncoats – Sumitra Devi Kasdekar and Raksha Saronia (ex-Congress MLAs who failed to get BJP tickets) and Virendra Raghuvanshi, ex-BJP MLA who failed to get Congress ticket from Shivpuri. The list also includes Akash Vijayvargiya, the first-time MLA son of BJP national general secretary Kailash Vijayvargiya, who hasn't found favour with his party.

Superstition of branding ailing infants resurfaces

Daagna, the cruel superstitious practice of branding ailing infants with hot objects out of the false belief that it will cure pneumonia and related ailments has landed a two-months-old Baiga tribal male child in the paediatric ICU of the government medical college in Shahdol. The infant, who is slowly recuperating from health complications of pneumonia and Daagna related wounds on multiple parts of the body was branded with scalding hot bangles by a female faith healer at the insistence of his grandfather. The police have booked the infant's mother, grandfather and the faith healer under relevant sections of the IPC.

Gyanvapi report: ASI seeks another 3-week extension

NAMITA BAJPAI @ Lucknow

'DATA TIME CONSUMING'

ASI's fresh plea comprises the technical details consuming time and delaying the process of finalisation of the report. It said that the process of correlating different types of data gathered by archaeologists, epigraphists, chemists, surveyors, geo-physics experts was time consuming.

AFTER getting an extension of 10 days for final submission of the report of scientific survey conducted on Gyanvapi mosque premises, the Archaeological Survey of India (ASI) moved another application in Varanasi district court on Tuesday, seeking another three weeks' time for the compilation and submission of survey report.

However, the district court had granted 10 days' time against 15 days sought by the survey agency on November 17. Varanasi district judge Dr AK Vishwesha had asked the ASI to submit the final report of the scientific survey conducted on mosque premises by November 28. Notably, the Varanasi district court had ordered the ASI on July 21, this year to conduct a scientific survey on Gyanvapi mosque premises to ascertain if the mosque stood over a pre-existing Hindu temple structure.

The Allahabad High Court had also upheld the district court's order on August 3.

Since August 5, 2023, it is sixth occasion that the ASI has sought extension to complete survey and submit the final report. The Varanasi district judge would take up the ASI application for hearing on Wednesday. ASI's fresh plea comprises the technical details consuming time and delaying the process of finalisation of the survey report.

As per the standing government counsel (Government of India) Amit Srivastava, in the fresh plea, ASI mentioned that the survey experts were working hard to compile, interpret and meticulously analysing data collected through various scientific studies and field observations. The exercise which required thorough crosschecking, verification, correlation and compilation of findings to finalise the survey report based on systematic studies conducted by various expert teams, was under process.

Bengaluru drone team to return tomorrow

BANSY KALAPPA @ Bengaluru

The team of Bengaluru mining engineers, tunnelling engineers and drone pilots from Bengaluru-based company Squadrone

AS 41 labourers were painstakingly rescued from the Silkyara tunnel in Uttarakhand, the celebrations outside haven't stopped, and an eight-member team from Bengaluru was part of the ecstatic celebrations.

The team of Bengaluru mining engineers, tunnelling engineers and drone pilots from a Bengaluru-based company, Squadrone, who volunteered to participate in the Silkyara tunnel rescue in Uttarakhand for the past eight days, is overjoyed. Three officers from the Prime Minister's Office hugged the team as those trapped inside were rescued after 16 days.

The team, which was helping defence authorities and the rescue team, had sent drones armed with sensors into the tunnel, said Squadrone MD and leader of the group Cyriac Joseph, who helped in the rescue from the spot. There was great concern that those digging manually should not be trapped or lose their lives if there was a cave-in inside the tunnel.

"We deployed drones inside the tunnels and even Prof Arnold Dix, the tunnel rescue expert, was happy about their effectiveness. The officers said this technology is a gamechanger and should be used in all mining and tunnelling operations," said Joseph.

Asked how it began, Joseph said they received a call from defence officers Brigadier Vishal Verma and Colonel Patil and the team airdashed to Uttarakhand about eight days ago. A backend team was set up to wrok 24/7 from Bengaluru. The team had used drones equipped with radars and specialised sensors to pinpoint accuracy, and managed to do in minutes what would have taken days by way of conventional drilling. Asked when they would return, Joseph said they would head to Bengaluru on Thursday. The team has not had time to sleep, sometimes working night and day for the past eight days, he said.

Ensure dignified disposal of unclaimed bodies: SC

JAISON WILSON @ New Delhi

MANIPUR VIOLENCE

THE Supreme Court on Tuesday directed the Manipur government to ensure dignified burial or cremation of 94 unclaimed bodies lying in mortuaries in the northeastern state, where ethnic clashes had claimed several lives in May.

A bench headed by Chief Justice D Y Chandrachud said it would not be appropriate to keep the bodies indefinitely in the mortuaries. The bench issued the order after going through a report filed by the apex court-appointed all-women committee of former high court judges, headed by former chief justice of J&K High Court Gita Mittal.

The SC bench, also comprising judges J B Pardiwala and Manoj Misra, said the DNA samples should be drawn from the bodies before their disposal as the criminal investigation in the violence case is ongoing. The panel's report said 169 of the 175 bodies have been identified, while six remain unidentified. Out of the 169 identified bodies, 81 have been claimed by the next of kin, while 88 have not been claimed.

The bench said the list of the identified bodies should be intimated to the next of kin and the last rites be performed with dignity and observance of rituals of the community concerned. This exercise must be carried out on or before December 4, it added.

The SC is seized of a batch of pleas, including those seeking a court-monitored probe into cases of violence, besides measures for relief and rehabilitation.

The bench said the state may issue a public notice indicating that if the bodies are not claimed within one week, then the state shall carry out the last rites.

HIMALAYAN SUCCESS: A DAY-BY-DAY-ACCOUNT

November 12
Labourers get trapped as portions of Silkyara-Dandalgaon tunnel collapse following a landslide on Diwali day

November 13
Contact established with trapped workers via a pipe meant to supply oxygen and they are reported safe

November 14
Steel pipes of 800- and 900-millimetre diameter inserted through the rubble using auger machine for horizontal digging

November 15
State-of-the-art auger machine airlifted from Delhi to speed up Rescue operation

November 16
Drilling machine is assembled and installed

November 17
About 24 metres drilled through 57-metre rubble stretch . Operation comes to a halt when the fifth pipe hits an obstacle.

November 18
A team of officials from the PMO and experts decide to work on five evacuation plans, including vertical drilling

November 19
Drilling remains suspended; Union minister Nitin Gadkari reviews the progress

November 20
PM Modi speaks to CM Pushkar Dhami over phone to take stock of the operations

November 21
Rescuers release the first video of the labourers trapped.

November 22
Horizontal drilling reaches about 45 metres, with only 12 metres remaining; ambulances kept on standby

November 23
Boring through rubble is put on hold again as cracks appear in the platform

November 24
The 25-tonne machine is restarted and drilling is resumed; the drill hits a metal girder halting the operation again.

November 25
Blades of the auger machine stuck in the debris

November 26
Vertical drilling of 19.2 metres is done to create an alternative escape route

November 27
Rat-hole mining experts are called in to help with rescuers requiring to dig through horizontally around 10 metres of rubble

November 28
Rescue workers break through the last stretch of the rubble at about 7 pm. NDRF and SDRF men enter the steel chute to reach the trapped workers and start bringing them out on wheeled-stretchers

Rat-hole miners succeed where machines failed

NARENDRA SETHI @ Dehradun

IT took 400 hours of hard work by 250- member strong rescue team for the successful evacuation of 41 labourers trapped in the Silkiara-Dandalgaon double tube under-construction tunnel. But it was the talent and experience of rat-hole miners that made the difference.

Colonel Deepak Patil, incharge of the rescue team, told this paper," A team of rat miners was finally engaged in the operation after the Auger machine got stuck inside the tunnel on November 26".

'Rat Miners' is a team of experts who specialise in high-speed excavation. The Army too assisted this special team.

"Manual drilling and excavation using rat-hole mining method began on Monday", a person familiar with the matter said, adding that "six rat-hole mining experts have been deployed for rescue operations."

National Disaster Management Authority (NDMA) member Lt Gen (Retd) Syed Ata Hasnain said that rat-hole miners did a phenomenal job by digging 10 metres in less than 24 hours. "Rat-hole mining may be illegal, but rat miners' talent and experience which is being used, it is their capability which is being used," he said in a media briefing here.

The National Green Tribunal in 2014 imposed a ban on coal mining using the rat-hole mining technique in Meghalaya. Rat-hole mining involves digging of narrow tunnels, usually 3-4 feet high, for workers to enter and extract coal. The horizontal tunnels are often termed "rat holes", as each just about fits one person.

At the Silkyara tunnel in Uttarkashi, at least 12 experts have been called by Trenchless Engineering Services Pvt Ltd and Navayuga Engineers Pvt Ltd to deploy the rat-hole mining technique horizontally in the collapsed part of the main structure.

They have come from Delhi, Jhansi and other parts of the country. NHAI member Vishal Chauhan said: "This is a special situation, this is a life-saving situation ...they are technicians helping us," he said. Twelve rat-hole mining experts were involved in the horizontal excavation.

CM Pushkar Singh Dhami with rescue officials after a successful evacuation | PTI

Eight of trapped workers belong to UP villages

NAMITA BAJPAI @ Lucknow

HAILING from Raniyapur hamlet next to Suhelwa Wildlife sanctuary in Shravasti district, Ram Milan is among the eight labourers from Uttar Pradesh who were trapped inside the tunnel.

Among them, six hail from the Tharu schedule tribal community of remote Motipur gram sabha just seven kilometers away from UP-Nepal border.

Radhey Shyam, gram pradhan of Motipur, feels that all six from men from his gram sabha have a strong will which helped them sail through the crisis.

"We live with leopards and dig mountains. We may be the most backward, but our men are brave. Everyone in the village prayed for the wellbeing of all those trapped in the tunnel. Our prayers have been answered," he says.

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Notice Date: **07.11.2023** issued to you Rule 6(2) / 8(6) of The Securitization & Reconstruction of Financial Assets & Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 by Asset Recovery branch/me, the Authorised Officer, was sent to you calling upon to repay the dues in your loan account/s with us at your last known address could not be served.

Therefore contents of the said Notice are being Published in this News Paper.

Union Bank of India, ARB, Bengaluru North, the secured creditor, caused a demand notice dated **05.07.2023** under Section 13(2) of the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002, calling upon you to pay the dues within the time stipulated therein. Since you failed to comply the said notice within the period stipulated, the Authorised Officer, has taken possession of the immovable secured assets under Section 13(4) of the Act read with Rule 6/8 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on **11.10.2023.**

Even after taking possession of the secured asset, you have not paid the amount due to bank. As such, it has become necessary to sell the below mentioned property by holding public e-auction after 30 days from the date of receipt of this notice through online mode. The date and time of e-auction along with the Reserve Price of the property and the details of the service provider, in which the e-auction to be conducted, shall be informed to you separately. Therefore, if you pay the amount due to the bank along with subsequent interest, costs, charges and expenses incurred by bank before the date of publication of sale notice, no further action shall be taken for sale of the property and you can redeem your property as stipulated in sec. 13 (8) of the SARFAESI Act 2002.

SCHEDULE OF PROPERTY: All that part and parcel of immovable property (House) bearing new Municipal No.12 ,Old No.2761,Situated at 8th G Cross, RPC Layout, Attiguppe, PID No.40-18-12, New PID No.132-W0297-19,Ward No.40,Bangalore-560040, measuring East to West 25 feet and North to South 20 feet, totally measuring 500 Sq.Feet and **bounded on: On the North by :** Property bearing No.2762, **On the South by :** Property bearing No.2760, **On the East by :** Property bearing No.2767, **On the West by :** Road.

Date : 07.11.2023
Place : Bangalore
Sd/- Authorised Officer
Union Bank of India
Asset Recovery Branch, Bengaluru North.

KARNATAKA POWER TRANSMISSION CORPORATION LIMITED

(CIN: U40109KA1999SGC025521)

No. SE(E)/TR(M)/BRAZ/EE/AEE-4/F-T6/23-24/4423 Date: 28.11.2023

TENDER NOTIFICATION (Through KPP Portal Only)

KPTCL, Transmission (Maintenance), BRAZ Circle invites bids against Bid Enquiry No. **KPTCL/SEE/TR(M)/ BRAZ/P Tr REPAIRS-20MVA, BAGEPALLI/EPR-745 (Call-2) Dated: 27.11.2023** for Dismantling, Transportation (To & Fro), Repair of Failed Power Transformer, Testing, Assembling, Erection and Commissioning of Failed 20 MVA, 66/11 KV (3 Limbs), APEX Make, Sl. No: T-903/01 Power Transformer failed on 08.04.2023 at 66/11KV Bagepalli S/s, TL&SS Division, Gowribidanur on Total Turnkey Basis (with wo part tender and Percentage basis). **(INDENT No: KPTCL/2023-24/PM/ WORK_INDENT-11/Call-2)**

The bids will be received through e-procurement mode only. The detailed notification regarding the subject enquiry can be obtained by logging onto KPTCL website: **https://kptcl.karnataka.gov.in** hyperlink E-Procurement-KPTCL or to **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** on or after **29.11.2023.**

Sd/- **Superintending Engineer (Ele.), Transmission (Maint.), BRAZ, KPTCL,** UAS Campus, Hebbala, Bengaluru- 560 024. Ph: 080-23415347.

BANARAS LOCOMOTIVE WORKS, VARANASI-221004

BID No. E-84/2023-24 E-TENDERS Date: 23.11.2023

E-Tenders are invited for & on behalf of the President of India for the supply of following items. Only e-offers will be accepted for which vendors must have Class III Digital Signature and registration on IREPS. The details of tenders are in the following sequence - S. No., Tender No. (Due Date), Description and Quantity.

1. 05231024C (26.12.2023), Digital Outside Micrometer, Part No. 72580021, Qty. 04 Nos. **2.** 05231033C (19.12.2023), Dial Bore Gauge, measuring range - 6.5 to 10 inch, PL No. 72903685, Qty. 02 Nos. **3.** 05231228 (11.12.2023), Lincoln Weld Flux L-780 or Similar, PL No. 76116001, Qty. 7000 Kg. **4.** 05231261 (21.12.2023) Solid MIG/MAG Welding Filler Wire, PL No. 76116232, Qty. 6500 Kg. **5.** 08231220A Advertise Tender, (18.12.2023) SCREW, (PL NO.19150210) Qty.- 3054 Nos. **6.** 08231209A Advertise Tender, (21.12.2023) BOLT , (PL NO.19150211) Qty.- 12947 Nos. **7.** 08231112A, Advertise Tender, (28.12.2023) Joint Center Bonded Rubber (PL No.17456010) Qty.- 5618 Nos. **8.** 04231860, (21.12.2023), Driver Seat Assembly to PL No. 11811717, Qty. - 43 Nos. **9.** 04231062, (01.01.2024), Radiator Compartment to PL No. 11700178, Qty. - 4 Nos. **10.** 04231863, (27.12.2023), Damper Bracket to PL No. 11521934, Qty. - 7 Nos. **11.** 04231268, (26.12.2023), Lock Assly for MR Doors to PL No. 29171003, Qty. - 327 Sets. **12.** 03231445A, (21.12.2023), Kit for I-Beam Assly., PL No. 11535325, 01 Set. **13.** 03231143A, (01.12.2023, 15.00), Part No. 90336677, Bright steel round bar, Qty. 413.54 Kgs., Part No..90338741, MC Steel Round Bar, Qty. 52 Kgs. Part No. 90722371, Round bar 56 mm, Qty. 242 Kgs., Part No. 90726133, Round bar 90/91 mm, Qty. 820 Kgs. Part No. 90726352, Round Bar 40 mm, Qty. 561 Kgs. Part No. 90746429, Round Bar 45 mm, Qty. 544 Kgs. Part No. 90983622, Round bar 50 mm, Qty. 7.20 Kgs. **14.** 06231217,(20.12.2023), LED BASED TWIN BEAM HEAD LIGHT specn: RDSO SPEC. RDSO/2017/EL/SPEC/0134 (REV-02) to PL No. 29611908, Qty. 360 Set **15.** 02231319C, (28.11.2023), Bolt (Pin), PL No. 29300836, 240 Nos. **16.** 02231339C, (28.11.2023), Sealing Copper Washer, PL No 29100320, 30 Nos. The details of above tenders are available on **www.blw.indianrailways.gov.in** and **www.ireps.gov.in Corrigendum Notice : 17. Tender No.:** 08231048A, **Bid Inv. No.:** E-71, **Existing Due date:** 22.11.2023, **Revised due date :** 22.12.2023, All other terms and conditions will remain unchanged for above tenders.

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/blwvaranasi "Website: www.blw.indianrailways.gov.in"

ASHOKANAGAR CO-OPERATIVE BANK PVT. LTD.,

No. 130/B, 6th Cross, Ashoknagar, Banashankri 1st Stage, 2nd Phase, Bengaluru-560050. Ph. 080-26506123, 26606365, Mob: 9964216663.

Regarding the immovable property e-auction held on 20/11/2023

To, M/s Hollywood Shoes, Mr. Ahamed Pasha, Mr. Altaf Pasha

And: M/s Mab Enterprises, Mr. Altaf Pasha, Mr. Akbar Basha, No. 14, Ganagamma Temple Road, V. B Layout, K.R Puram, Bengaluru-560036.

I, the undersigned Mr. Arun Kumar.N, Authorized Officer of Ashoka Nagar Co-operative Bank Ltd. Ashoka Nagar, Bangalore-560 050 do hereby inform that, based on Equitable Mortgage by Deposit of title deed in our bank dated 18.06.2010, you have availed a bank loan of **Rs. 65,00,000.00 (Rupees Sixty Five Lakhs only)** on your immovable property No.14 Gangamma Road VB Layout, K.R. Pura, Bangalore-560036, which you have mortgaged to our bank under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act-2002, for not repaying the principal and interest on time. This immovable property was auctioned on 20.11.2023 at 11.00 AM by M/s 4Closure, Bank Auctions.in, through e-auction process.

One bidder Mr. Krishnamurthy.R and Neeta participated in the e-auction, and bid for **Rs.70,50,000.00 (Rupees Seventy Lakhs Fifty Thousand Only)** and the bid was stopped in their name, as there is only one bidder. The successful bidder have already paid 25% of the bid amount of **Rs.17,62,500/-** to the bank and after paying the remaining amount of **Rs.52,87,500/-** to the bank, the above immovable property will be registered in their name. It is hereby notified that you should immediately contact the undersigned, if you have any concerns regarding this.

Mr. Arun Kumar.N
Authorized officer
Ashokanagar Cooperative Bank Ltd.
Ashoka Nagar, Bangalore-560050

Place: Bengaluru
Date: 27.11.2023

Government of Karnataka

Office of the Deputy Conservator of Forests and Director
Nagarahole Tiger Reserve, Hunsur
Ph: 08222-252041 e-mail –dirnagarahole@aranya.gov.in
No: B4/LND/RB/Tender/CR-16/2023-24 Dated: 22.11.2023

Short Term E-Tender Notification

E-Tenders for the works in Metikuppe and Anechowkur Wildlife Range of Nagarahole Tiger Reserve (NTR) for the year 2023-24 are invited through e-procurement portal (http://eproc.karnataka.gov.in) on behalf of the Governor of Karnataka from competent firms for the following works subjected to KW-3 terms and conditions.

Description of Work: Erection of railway barricade work and used rails transportation. **Quantity:** 2.553 Km (2 Units). **Amount (Rs. In Lakhs):** 150.00
(*Subject to release of funds from Govt.)

1) Last date of receipt of tender through e-portal: 29.11.2023 upto 17:30 hrs **2)** If no contractors partici pate on 29.11.2023; re-tender will held on 07.12.2023 upto 17:30 hrs. **3)** No further notification will be published regarding Re-Tender. **4)** For more information contact the under signed office on working hours. Ph: 08222-252041 e-mail ID: dirnagarahole@aranya.gov.in

Sd/- Deputy Conservator of Forests & Director

DIPR/DDMYS/KSMCA/690/2023-24

Canara Bank

ASSET RECOVERY MANAGEMENT BRANCH,
Centrum Building, Gokul Road, HUBBALLI

DEMAND NOTICE

Ref: CB/ARMB/HUB/F-31/2023-24/13(2)/KSS Date: 07/11/2023

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 13 (2) OF SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT 2002 (HEREINAFTER CALLED 'ACT')

At your request, Bank has granted credit facilities, against secured assets through its **Canara Bank, Specialized Asset Recovery Management branch HUBBALLI, KARNATAKA.** The relevant particulars of the property on which you have created security interest by execution of security agreement/documents & creation of mortgage by way of deposit of title deeds are also furnished hereunder. As the operation and conduct of the financial assistance/credit facilities have become irregular, the debt has been classified as Non-performing Asset **(NPA)** in accordance with the directives/guidelines issued by Reserve Bank of India, consequent to the default by the borrower in repayment of the principal debt and interest thereon. As the Demand Notice sent by Register AD calling upon you, was un-served/ not acknowledged/refused therefore, this notice is now issued/published.

1)Name and address of the Borrower/s, Guarantor/s :-
Borrower:M/s M. G. Traders and Exporters, Represented by its Proprietor , Sri M. Gopal Son of Sri M Madappa, M.P.P. Prakash Nagar, Hospet, Karnataka- 583201, Also at:H. No. 252/1 Arvinda Nagar, Hospet- 583201, Also at: A-12, Tripura Nest, 11th Cross, Malleshwaram, Bengaluru- 560003, Also at:23/03, Old Door No. 1784, Giriyabovipalya , Nazarbad Mohalla, Mysore- 570011, Also at:Flat no. 2, 1st Floor, George Residency, mala Link Road, Panaji, Goa, 403001
Proprietor: Sri M. Gopal Son of Sri M Madappa
M.P.P. Prakash Nagar, Hospet, Karnataka- 583201, Also at:A-12, Tripura Nest, 11th Cross, Malleshwaram, Bengaluru- 560003
Guarantor(s):(i) Sri M Venkatesh Son of Sri M Madappa
Door No. 1784,Giriyabovipalya , Nazarbad Mohalla, Mysore- 570011
(ii) Smt. Renuka (Since deceased) Represented by legal heir Sri Ravinatha G.K. Resident of Door No. 23/3 Old Door No. 1784, Giriyabovipalya, Nazarbad Mohalla Mysore- 570011

2)Outstanding Loan Amount:-(A/c No.0537282008582) **Rs. 3,61,11,025/- (Rupees Three Crores Sixty One Lakhs Eleven Thousand and Twenty Five Only) AS ON 30/09/2023** plus interest at contractual rate together with incidental expenses, costs, charges, etc.

3)Schedule of Property Mortgaged:-
1)All that Part and Parcel of Land and Building bearing House No.1784(Old), New No.23/3 situated at Giriyabovi Palya, Nazarbad Mohalla, Mysore.
The property is bounded by:East: Property of Smt M Renuka(late), West: Road, South: Property of Sri Somashekhar, North: Road
Name of Title holder:-Sri M Venkatesh
2)All that Part and Parcel of Land and Building bearing House No.1784/C (Old), New No. 23/3-C situated at Giriyabovi Palya, Nazarbad Mohalla, Mysore
The property is bounded by: East: Property of Sri T Lingaraju, West: Property of Sri Venkatesh, South: Property of Sri R Somasekhar, North: Property of Rama Bovi
Name of Title holder:-Smt M Renuka (Late)
3)All that Part and Parcel of Land and Building bearing House No.1781(Old), admeasuring 900 Sq fts situated at Giriyabovi Palya, Nazarbad Mohalla, Mysore
The property is bounded by: East: Road, West:Conservancy, South: Lakshmi Temple, North: Property of Rama Bovi
Name of Title holder:-Sri M Gopal

Date of NPA:14/02/2015 **Demand Notice Date:: 07/11/2023**

If you fail to repay the aforesaid sum with interest and incidental expenses within **60** days from the date of this notice, Bank shall exercise all or any of the rights detailed under **Sub Section (4) of the Section 13 of the SARFAESI Act.** You are also put on notice that in terms of sub **section13 of section 13**, you shall consent of the Bank. This notice is without prejudice to the Banks rights to initiate such other action or legal proceedings as it deem necessary under any other applicable provisions of law.

Your kind attention is invited to provision of **Sub-Section (8) of Section 13** of the SARFAESI Act whereunder you can tender the entire amount of outstanding dues together with all costs, charges and expenses incurred by the Bank only till the date of publication of the notice for sale of the secured asset(s) by public auction, by inviting quotations, tender from public or by private treaty. Please also note that if the entire amount of outstanding dues together with the costs, charges and expenses incurred by the Bank is not tendered before publication of notice for sale of the secured assets by public auction, by inviting quotations, tender from public or by private treaty, you may not be entitled to redeem the secured asset(s)

Date:07/11/2023 Sd/- Authorised officer
Place:Hubballi CANARA BANK

PUBLIC NOTICE

Public is hereby informed that my client is intending to purchase the property described in the schedule hereunder from its owners M/s **MANYATA DEVELOPERS PVT LTD,** a company registered under the provisions of Companies Act, 1956, having its Office at No.9/1, Classic Court, 2nd floor, Richmond Road, Bangalore – 560025. PAN: AAFCM7472A, represented by its **DIRECTOR Abhiram Parvathaneni.**

Any person/s having any claim over the schedule property may lodge his/her/their objections or claims in writing with all documentary evidence with regard to such claims, to the undersigned within 7 days here of, failing which my client will proceed to complete the purchase. Any objections/ claims received thereafter will not be entertained and not binding upon my client.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

ITEM No.1
All that piece and parcel of the immovable property being Residentially converted undeveloped land bearing **Survey. No. 131, measuring 4 Acres 06 Guntas,** (Four Acres Six Guntas) situated at Chambenahalli Village, Sarjapura Hon, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore District, [converted as per the Official Memorandum, dated 27/09/2013 vide No.ALN (A)(S)/ SR/68/ 2013-14 and Revised Official Memorandum dated 28/12/2015 vide No. ALN(A)(S)/SR/ 68/13-14 for residential purposes, issued by the Deputy Commis sioner, Bangalore District, Bangalore] together with all appurtenances whatsoever whether underneath or above the surface and bounded as follows:

East by : Valagere Kallahalli Boundary & Neriga Road, **West by :**Road **North by:** R.Chinnappa's Land & Kharab Land **South by:**U. Chinnappa's Land in Sy.No.131 & Land belonging to Kodandarama Reddy & Madhava Reddy

ITEM No.2
All that piece and parcel of immovable property being undeveloped land converted for Residential use by the Assistant Commissioner vide Official Memorandum dated 15-01-2005 in No. ALN SR (A) 295/04-05 bearing Survey **No.131 measuring 2 Acres 06** guntas situated at Chambenahalli Village, SarjapuraHobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban District, together with all appurtenances whatsoever whether underneath or above the surface and bounded as follows:

East by : Remaining land in same Sy No belongs to K.N.Mahadeva Reddy **West by :** Road **North by:** Remaining land in same Sy No belongs to U.Subramani **South by:** Road.

ITEM No.3
All that piece and parcel of the immovable property being Residentially converted undeveloped land bearing **Sy. No. 131, measuring 2 Acres (Two Acres)** situated at Chambenahalli Village, SarjapuraHobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore District, [earlier converted for industrial use and later converted for residential purposes as per the Official Memorandum, dated 30/01/2016 vide No.ALN/ (A)(S)/SR/282/ 2011-12, issued by the Deputy Commis sioner, Bangalore District, Bangalore together with all appurtenances whatsoever whether underneath or above the surface and bounded as follows:

East by :V.K.Halli Boundary **West by :** Remaining land in Sy No. 131 **North by :** Land of U.Subramani & Sy No. 39 **South by:** Road & Sy No. 117

COMPOSITE SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the immovable Property being undeveloped Residentially converted undeveloped land bearing **Sy. No. 131, totally measuring 8 Acres 12 Guntas** (Eight Acres Twelve Guntas) situated at Chambenahalli Village, Sarjapura Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore District, [converted as per the Official. Memorandum, dated 27/09/2013 vide No.ALN(A)(S)/SR/68/2013-14 and Revised Official Memorandum dated 28/12/2015 vide No. ALN(A)(S)/SR/68/13-14 for residential purposes, issued by the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, Bangalore, Official Memorandum dated 15-01-2005 in No. ALN SR (A) 295/04-05 for residential purposes, issued by the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, Bangalore and Official. Memorandum, dated 30/01/2016 vide No.ALN/(A) (S)/SR/ 282/2011-12 for residential purposes, issued by the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, Bangalore together with all appurtenances whatsoever whether underneath or above the surface and bounded as follows:

East by : Valagere Kallahalli Boundary **West by :**Road & Sy. No. 39 **North by :** Sy. No. 39 **South by:** Road & Sy No. 117

Prathima. C.R, Advocate
Room No.7, 1st floor, Janatha Building (MBS Building), 11th Cross, H.Siddaiah Road, Wilson Garden, Bangalore – 560 027

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Plot No. 12 & 13, 3rd Main, 2nd Phase, Peenya Industrial Estate, Bengaluru-560058. Ph: 080-28094196, 4184, 4541, 4542 Fax: 080-28094180

BRIEF E-TENDER NOTICE

On behalf of President of India, Item rate E-Tender is invited from Contractors of appropriate class for the following works.

NIT No.	ISTRAC/CMG/MAINT/C/ E-TENDER-66/2023-24, dated 28.11.2023	ISTRAC/CMG/MAINT/C/ E-TENDER-67/2023-24, dated 28.11.2023
Name of work	Annual Service Contract for up-keep of External Environment at MOX Campus, ISTRAC, Bengaluru	Providing workstations, partitions and Storage units for NSA section, Wooden backing in Data Systems Lab and Wooden Flooring in Conference Hall of RDA section at SCC Campus, ISTRAC, Bengaluru (Civil Interior Works)
Estimated Cost put to tender	Rs. 60.31 Lakhs	Rs. 23.66 Lakhs
Tender document details	E-tender	E-tender
Period of completion	12 months (Department reserves the right to extend the contract for a further period of 24 months)	3 months
Period during which the tender document can be downloaded	29.11.2023 to 19.12.2023	29.11.2023 to 12.12.2023
Bid clarifications	29.11.2023 to 19.12.2023	29.11.2023 to 13.12.2023
Last date and time of reply to bid clarification	Up to 16.30 hrs. on 20.12.2023	Up to 16.30 hrs. on 14.12.2023
Last date and time for receipt of tenders	Up to 14.30 hrs. on 21.12.2023	Up to 14.30 hrs. on 15.12.2023
Due date and time of opening of tenders	11.30 hrs. onwards on 22.12.2023	11.30 hrs. onwards on 18.12.2023
EMD	Rs. 1.21 Lakhs	Rs. 47,320/-

Interested tenderers may please refer Detailed Notice Inviting Tender (NIT) for eligibility criteria and other details from website **www.isro.gov.in** and download the tender documents from **www.tenderwizard.com/ISRO**

Sd/- Group Head, CMG

THE SPECIAL OFFICER AND COMPETENT AUTHORITY,
(UNDER KPIDFE - IMA & OTHER SCAM)

3rd Floor, Podium Block, V.V Tower, Dr. Ambedkar Veedhi, Bengaluru-560001

NOTICE/INVITATION FOR E-AUCTION FOR MOVABLE ITEMS

Pursuant to attachment of movable properties by the Government under the provisions of the Karnataka Protection of Interest of Depositors in Financial Establishments Act, 2004 (KPIDFE Act) and pursuant to the absolute attachment order by the Hon'ble Special Court the Special Officer & Competent Authority (under KPIDFE-IMA and other Scam), is issuing notice for e-auction of the movables attached through e-auction on **'as is where is and whatever there is basis'.**

"SPLOCA" here by invites bids from the intending bidders along with a bid deposit as mentioned in the table below as Earnest Money for MOVABLE ITEMS-to be paid through DD in favor of "Special Officer and **Competent Authority (EMD)"** or through RTGS/NEFT to the **Account number 41506340119, IFSC Code: SBIN0040277 STATE BANK OF INDIA, VIDHANA SOUDHA Branch.**

Short description of the Movable items

Sl. No.	Description of items	Reserve Price (Rs)	EMD (Rs)	Bid Increase Value (Rs)
1	Furniture & Fixtures	51,87,551/-	6,00,000/- (Rs. Six lakhs only)	25,000
2	Electrical & Electronics	51,80,821/-		25,000
3	Personal Computers and Peripherals	12,83,357/-		6,000
4	Miscellaneous	6,95,855/-		3,000

Last date of Submission of Bid Documents & EMD Submission: **15th December 2023 until 5.00 pm.**
Date of Inspection & Time: **18th December 2023, 11.00 am to 2.00 pm.**
Place of Inspection: IMA jewels Building, No.5 Lady Curzon Road, Shivajinagar, Bengaluru
Date of Pre bid Meeting & time: **19th December 2023, 3.00 pm to 4.00 pm.**
Date & time of E-Auction: **21th of December 2023, 11.00 am to 1.00 pm.**
For Registration & Online Auction, you can login to: **https://www.bankeauctions.com.**
The interested bidders who require auction related information can contact **Joint Secretary, Office of the Special Officer & Competent Authority, 3rd Floor, Podium Block, Visveswariah Towers, Dr.Ambedkar Veedi, Bengaluru-560 001,** e-mail ID: splocaeauction@gmail.com or **Contact Mob. No 8217203930.**

Place: Bengaluru
Date: 28.11.2023
DIPR/CP/2323/Zen/2023-24

Sd/-
The Special Officer & Competent Authority
(Under KPIDFE - IMA & Other Scam)
Bengaluru, Karnataka

ESTD: 1907

THE BANGALORE CITY CO-OPERATIVE BANK LIMITED

Administrative Office: # 3, PAMPAMAHAKAVI ROAD, CHAMARAJAPET, BANGALORE –18. Ph. : 26678572 : 26600512 : 26609066.

SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES THROUGH PUBLIC AUCTION

Auction Sale under the Securitization & Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security interest Act 2002 of the Immovable properties mortgaged to the **Bangalore City Co. operative Bank Ltd., is brought to Sale under " AS IS WHERE IS CONDITION".**

Sl No	Name of the Borrower & Description of property	Boundaries & Measurement	Amount of Secured debt & Reserve Price	Date of Public Auction
01	**Sri. Thimmaiah. M.** No.643/606, 2nd AMD, 3rd Cross, Vivekananda Nagar, (Gangamatha Street), Maddur Town, Mandya District. **No. 2-1-512-39, Old No. 2-1-512-39, Municipal Assessment No. 643/606, situated at 3rd Cross, Gangamatha Street, 1st Block, (S.B.M Road 39, 2nd Ward), Maddur Town, Mandya District.**	**East to West: 6.097 Mtrs & North to South: 17.682 Mtrs Total Measuring No. 107-807514 Sq Mtrs.** **East by :** 2-1-512-37 (Rama Mandira) **West by :** 2-1-504-69 (Lakshmidevi's House) **North by :** 2-1-512 (Road) **South by :** 2-1-513 (Road)	**Rs. 18,51,649/- (Interest from) 06.11.2023 Notice Date : 21.11.2023 Reserve Price Rs. 30,00,000/-**	**29.12.2023 10.00 A.M**
02	**Smt. Susheela. C & Sri. C.P. Venkatesh Murthy** No.2208, 3rd Cross Extension, Kuvempunagar, Channapatna 571501 **Municipal Door No. 2208, 'A' Division, Channapatna Town Extension, 3rd Cross, Ward No. 6, Khatha No. 4481, present property No. 6-1-505-109, Kuvempunagar, Channapatna City, Ramanagar District**	**East to West : 100 feet & North to South : 26 ½ feet** **East by :** Conservancy Lane **West by :** 3rd Cross Road **North by :** Conservancy Lane **South by :** Site No. 2207	**Rs. 40,51,312/- (Interest from) 06.11.2023 Notice Date : 21.11.2023 Reserve Price Rs. 50,50,000/-**	**29.12.2023 10.30 A.M**
03	**Dr. Tejovathamma. V.S.** No.10, Mullalli Road, Kodihalli Hobli, Kanakapura Taluk, Ramanagara District. **Schedule 1st : No.4218/3375/7, E-Extract property, No.152900203701421094, Harohalli Village, Harohalli Grama Panchayathi, Kanakapura Taluk, Ramanagar District**	**East to West : towards Northern Side :40 feet, towards southern side: 45 feet & North to South : towards Eastern side: 40 feet & towards Western side:17.06 feet** **East by :** Site No. 6, **West by :** Road **North by :** Site No.8, **South by :** Road.	**Rs. 65,91,117/- (Interest from) 06.11.2023 Notice Date : 21.11.2023 Reserve Price Rs. 95,00,000/-**	**29.12.2023 11.00 A.M**
	Schedule 2nd: No. 4219/3375/8, E-Extract Property No. 152900203701421095, out of Sy. No. 683/684/2 of Harohalli Village, Harohalli Hobli, Kanakapura Taluk, Ramanagara District	**East to West : 40 feet & North to South : 30 feet** **East by :** Site No. 5. **West by :** Road **North by :** Site No. 9 **South by :** Site No. 7		
04	**1.Smt. Shameem Unnisa , 2.Sri. Syed Taj Pasha, 3.Sri. Syed Daulath (Deceased) Legal Heirs 3a.Reshma Taj (Wife), 3b. Ayed Afron (Son), 3c. Syed Farhan (Son), 3d. Sanya (Daughter) 4.Smt. Sheerin Taj, 5.Smt. Shajahaan, 6.Sri. Syed Shabir Pasha, 7.Smt. Shabeen Taj, 8.Smt. Shaheda Banu, 9.Sri. Syed Fairoz Pasha, 10.Sri. Syed Jameel Ahmed, 11.Smt. Nooreen Taj & 12.Sri. Syed Shakeel No. 273, 3rd Cross, Khallak Nagar, Kanakapura, Ramanagara District 562117. Municipal No. 3073, New No. 15/508/196, Khatha No. 5704/3874, Khallaq Nagar, 3rd Cross Road, Kanakapura Town, Ward No.08, Ramanagar District.**	**East to West : 32 feet & North : to South : 46 feet** **East by :** Property belongs to Khurshid Unnisa **West by :** Property belongs to Noor Ahmed **North by :** Conservancy **South by :** Road	**Rs. 28,54,691/- (Interest from) 06.11.2023 Notice Date : 21.11.2023 Reserve Price Rs. 37,00,000/-**	**29.12.2023 11.30 A.M**
05	**Smt. Mani. M.V,** No.128, Brahma Devara Gudda Main Road, Ramachandrappa Layout, Kodigehalli, Bengaluru-91. **Site No. 128, Khatha No. 113, Property No. 1803/113/1/128, E-Khatha No. 150200200300402195, Assessment No. 113, Kodigehalli Village, Yeshwanthapura Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk, Bengaluru.**	**East to West :- 30 feet & North to South: 40 feet** **East by :** Site No. 127 **West by :** Site No. 129 **North by :** Road **South by :** Site No. 120	**Rs. 15,66,138/- (Interest from) 20.11.2023 Notice Date : 21.11.2023 Reserve Price Rs. 32,50,000/-**	**29.12.2023 12.30 P.M**
06	**Sri. Eshwaraiah,** No. 35, Pushpa Nilaya LIG KHB Bandemutt Kengeri Upanagar, Bengaluru-60. **No. LIG 351, Developed by KHB Situated at kengeri Bande Mutt, Bengaluru urban District, Bengaluru.**	**East to West : 9.00 Mtrs & North to South : 13.75 Mtrs** **East by :** LIG- Site No. 350 **West by :** LIG- Site No. 352 **North by :** Road No. 12 **South by :** Private property	**Rs. 1,13,67,935/- (Interest from) 20.11.2023 Notice Date : 21.11.2023 Reserve Price Rs. 1,29,50,000/-**	**29.12.2023 02.00 P.M**
07	**Smt. Roopa. C.M,** No. 3066, 3rd Cross, Manjunathanagar, Channapatna Town, Ramanagar-562159. **Municipal Door No. 3066, Old Municipal Khatha No. 6560, 3rd Main Road, Manjunatha Layout, Ward No. 08, Channapatna Town, Municipal "A" Division Ramanagar District E Khatha No. 8-3-551-115.**	**East to West : 60 feet & North to South : 40 feet** **East by :** House belongs to Sri. S. Siddappa **West by :** 20 feet Road left for common passage **North by :** Site No. 01, **South by :** House Site No. 03, belongs to Sri. N. Shivalingaiah.	**Rs. 77,31,987/- (Interest from) 20.11.2023 Notice Date : 21.11.2023 Reserve Price Rs. 1,08,50,000/-**	**29.12.2023 02.30 P.M**
08	**Sri. K.R. Rajanna,** No. 262, Varabanagar Near Basaveshwara Matt, Hanumanthanagar, Channapatna Town, Ramanagar 571501. **Khaneshumari No. 11/117/2 of Honniganahalli Village, Khatha No. 6627 of Chanapatana Municipality, Door No. 4225 Vandaraguppe Grama Panchayathi Limit, Ward No. 20, Kasaba Hobli, Channapatana Taluk now Hanumantha Nagar, BM Road Channapatana Town.**	**East to West : towards Northern Side : 50 feet & towards Southern Side : 29 feet, & North to South : towards Eastern Side : 45 feet towards Western Side : 28 feet** **East by :** Site belongs to Angadi Naganna **West by :** Property belongs to Thammaiah **North by :** 20 feet Road **South by :** Site belongs to Hanumanthaiah.	**Rs. 7,66,605/- (Interest from) 20.11.2023 Notice Date : 21.11.2023 Reserve Price Rs. 19,25,000/-**	**29.12.2023 03.00 P.M**
09	**Muthyalamma (Deceased) Legal Heirs :- 1. Sri. Kumar. P (Son), 2. Murali. Kumar. P (Son), 3. Kupendra. P (Son), 4. Santhosh. Kumar P (Son) & 5. Indrani. P (Daughter) No. 306, 13th Main Road, V.S. Garden, J.J.R. Nagar, Bengaluru-26. New No. 35, Old No. 306, 13th Main Venkataswamy Thota, BBMP ward No. 44 of Jagjeevanram Nagar, PID No. 44-72-35, Bangalore**	**East to West : 25 feet & North to South : 16.9 feet** **East by :** Site no. 299 **West by :** 13th Main Road **North by :** Site No. 305 **South by :** Site No. 307	**Rs.12,82,353/- (Interest from) 21.11.2023 Notice Date : 22.11.2023 Reserve Price Rs. 26,35,000/-**	**29.12.2023 03.30 P.M**

(1) The public auction will be conducted in the premises of Administrative office, No.3, Pampa Mahakavi Road, Chamarajapet, Bangalore-18. (2) For participation in the auction the intending bidder have to deposit an amount equivalent to 10 % of the Reserve price of the property being cautioned deposit. The cautioned deposit shall be forfeited by the bank without any prior notice, If the successful bidder fails to Adhere to the terms of Sale, time and commits default in any manner. (3) The successful bidders should deposit 25 % of the bid amount on the same day at the sale in cash/D.D. to the bank and the balance Within 15 days from the date of sale. (4) The Successful bidders shall bear all expenses like stamp duty Registration fee etc., for getting the sale certificate Registered in his/her favour. (5) The authorized officer shall have powers to accept or reject bids or postpone / cancel the auction without assigning any reasons thereof. (6) For inspection of the property and other particular, the intending bidders may contact the undersigned at **The Bangalore City Co-Operative Bank ltd., Administrative Office, or through phone No.26678572 / 26600512,** they are at liberty to make their own Assessment / enquiry about the property.

Place: Bangalore
Date : 28.11.2023
Sd/- Authorized Officer
The Bangalore City Co. Operative Bank Ltd.

STRIVING FOR LASTING TRUCE IN GAZA, SAYS QATAR

US, Israeli spy chiefs huddle in Doha to discuss the next phase of ceasefire deal

DOHA

US and Israeli intelligence chiefs have arrived in Doha to discuss the "next phase" of a deal between Hamas and Israel in Gaza, a source briefed on the visit said on Tuesday.

The huddle comes as, Qatar's foreign ministry spokesman said the mediator would use the extension to work towards a "sustainable truce" between Israel and Hamas. "Our main focus right now, and our hope, is to reach a sustainable truce that will lead to further negotiations and eventually to an end... to this war," Majed Al Ansari said.

The leaders of the US Central Intelligence Agency and Israel's Mossad were scheduled to meet Qatari Prime Minister Mohammed bin Abdulrahman Al Thani, the source said, adding that Egyptian officials were also taking part.

"The director of the CIA and the director of the Israeli National Intelligence Agency are in Doha to meet with the Qatari prime minister," the source told AFP, requesting anonymity due to the talks' sensitivity. The discussions aim "to build on the progress of the extended humanitarian pause agreement and to initiate further discussions about the next phase of a potential deal", the source said.

Qatar has been engaged in intense negotiations, with support from Egypt and the United States, to extend the truce in Gaza that was originally due to last four days. The gas-rich Gulf state announced late on Monday, the day of the truce's expiry, that successful talks with Israel and Hamas had resulted in a two-day extension.

Over the initial four-day pause, 50 hostages were freed in return for 150 Palestinian prisoners. The source said CIA director Bill Burns and Mossad head David Barnea would hold a "series of meetings" initiated by prime minister Mohammed bin Abdulrahman Al Thani in Doha "to discuss the potential terms of a deal beyond the two-day extension".

Israel says a total of around 240 hostages were seized when Hamas gunmen stormed across Gaza's militarised border on October 7 and mounted the deadliest attack in the country's history. Israel says the attack killed 1,200 people, mostly civilians. *AFP*

12 more hostages released by Hamas

Hamas and Islamic Jihad fighters accompany hostages before handing them over to the Red Cross in Rafah on Tuesday night | **AFP**

GAZA STRIP

HAMAS and Islamic Jihad fighters handed over several hostages Tuesday to the Red Cross in Gaza, an AFP journalist saw, part of an exchange under the terms of an extended truce in the Israel-Hamas war.

The Israeli hostages, all women, were handed over by masked and armed fighters, some from Hamas and others from Islamic Jihad, to Red Cross officials in Rafah near the border with Egypt, the journalist said.

Shortly afterwards, the Israeli military said in a statement that "based on information that was received from the Red Cross, 12 hostages — including 10 Israelis and two foreign nationals — are on their way toward Israeli territory". The release of the two foreign hostages came in addition to the release of the 10 Israelis under the terms of the deal. The temporary cessation of hostilities and releases of captives were hailed as a glimpse of hope after seven weeks of conflict sparked by deadly Hamas attacks that prompted an Israeli military offensive in the Gaza Strip.

The 7.00 am (local time) deadline for the first phase of the ceasefire to expire passed without major incidents after 11 more Israeli hostages were freed from Gaza and 33 Palestinian prisoners were released by Israel overnight. Israel views the truce as a temporary measure to secure hostage releases and says it plans to continue its military offensive against Hamas.

"We are committed to completing these missions: freeing all of the hostages, eliminating this terrorist organisation above and below ground," Israel's Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu said in a video released Tuesday by his office.

But Israel faces increasing pressure for a more lasting ceasefire and the ramp-up of humanitarian aid to Gaza, where an estimated 1.7 million people have been displaced, according to the United Nations. The World Food Programme said it had delivered food to 121,161 people in Gaza since Friday, but that a high risk of famine remained. "What we see is catastrophic," said WFP's director for the Middle East, Corinne Fleischer. The United States sent the first of three military planes to Egypt to bring vital humanitarian aid for Gaza. *AFP*

BEFORE THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL - 2 AT BANGALORE
4th Floor, BSNL Building, Telephone House, Rajbhavan Road, Bengaluru-560001.

O.A. No. 19/2021

BETWEEN:
Central Bank of India
Koramangala Branch
No. 92, 80 feet Road, 6th Block, Koramangala, Bangalore-560095.
Represented By its Chief Manager and Constitued Attorney
Sri Shishir Kumar Shukla
Son of Sri Girish Chandra,
Aged about 32 years ..... Applicant

AND
1. Sri Hussain Mohammed Mushtaq
Son of Sri K. Hussain Sab
Aged about 43 years, # 31, Kankurd Colony, Near Shabri Nagar, Keshawapr, Hubli, Dharwaad-580023.
2. Sri Papaiah Reddy
Son of Late Chikka Thimmaiah
Aged about 62 years.
Represented by his GPA holder
Smt. H.P. Swapna
Daughter of Papaiah Reddy
Aged about 36 Years
3. Smt. H.P. Swapna
Daughter of Papaiah Reddy
Aged about 36 years
No. 2 and 3 are residing at No. 140/B, Gopala Reddy Buildings, Hongasandra, Beguru Main Road, Bangalore - 560 068.
.... Defendants

SUMMONS/NOTICE ISSUED UNDER TO DEFENDENT UNDER RULE 23 (VIII) OF DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL (PROCEDURE) RULES 1993 BY WAY OF PAPER PUBLICATION

1. Whereas the Applicant has instituted an application U/S 19 of the Recovery of Debts Due to Banks and Financial Institutions Act, 1993 against you for the recovery of sum of **Rs. 55,28,938/-** (Rupees Fifty Five Lakhs Twenty Eight Thousand Nine Hundred Thirty Eight only) together with current and future interest and other reliefs.
2. You are hereby required to show cause within 30 days of the service of the summons or on **03.01.2024 at 11.00 A.M.** in the forenoon in person or by Pleader / Advocate duly instructed as to why the relief prayed for should not be granted.
3. Take notice that, in default of, your appearance on the day mentioned herein before, the proceeding will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of this 22nd day of November 2023.

Oder of the Tribunal
Signature of the Officer
Authorised to Issue Summons

PARADIP PORT AUTHORITY
ADMINISTRATIVE DEPARTMENT
e-TENDER CALL NOTICE No. AD/OE/ GL-73/2023/2509 Dtd.23.11.2023

Name of the work:- "Supply of Ex-servicemen as Unarmed Security Guard". Estimated cost put to tender ₹2.63 Crores (excluding GST @18%). The last date & time of submission of bid is 11.12.2023 upto 1700 Hrs. For details, please refer our website: www.paradipport.gov.in/ https://eprocure.gov.in/eprocure/app.

Sd/-
Statistical & Research Officer
Paradip Port Authority

PPA/PR/66/2023-2024 dtd.25.11.2023

PUBLIC NOTICE

My client intends to Purchase the below mentioned Schedule Property from, **Sri RAJA NAGESWARA RAO** son of Raja Pedda Thirupathaiah who claimed to be the absolute owner in possession of Schedule property. If any persons has any claim, right, title or interest in the Schedule Property or any objection to the proposed sale, the same may be communicated to the undersigned along with supporting documents within 15 days from this day, to the undersigned. If no such claims are received within the above said period my client will proceed to purchase the schedule property treating as there is no claim whatsoever to the Schedule Property.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the Agricultural dry Lands measuring 1 Acre 13 guntas in SY No.46/2 situated at Doddacheemanahalli Village, Kundana Hobli, Devanahalli Taluk, Bengaluru Rural Dist and bounded on
East by : Property of Anjanamma;
West by : Property of Subbamma;
North by : Property of Muninanjappa;
South by : Road;

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PUBLIC NOTICE

This is inform to General public at large that my clients **1. DINESH SOLANKI**, S/o Jiyaram Solanki, **2. Sri NEMICHAND SOLANKI**, S/o Jiyaram Solanki, Both are R/at No. 47, 13th A Cross, Dasarahalli Main Road, Bhuvaneshwari Nagar, Hebbal, Kempapura H.A.Farm, Bangalore are intend to purchase the below mentioned schedule property from its owner **AMEER AFROZE PASHA**, S/o Late Ameer Saheb, R/at No. 10, Appanna Block, Chamundi Nagar Main Road, R.T. Nagar Post, Bangalore -560 032. If any person/s, having any right, title ownership, possession or claim on the schedule property kindly to submit their statement of objections along with supporting documents to establish or show their right or claim on the schedule property to the undersigned Advocate **within 10 days** from the date issue of this public notice. Within the specified time no objections or documents received by me, then my clients are proceed to purchase the schedule property from **AMEER AFROZE PASHA.**

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the immovable Property previously bearing House Site No.01, Katha No.977/976, Situated at Dasarahalli Village, K.R.Puram Hobli, Bangalore presently bearing No.1, South Taluk, Bangalore and Dasarahalli, Bangalore in BBMP Ward No.6, Thanisandra, Katha No.36/2/976/E/1 measuring East to West: 40 Feet and North to South: 60 feet in all measuring 2400 sq. feet, bounded on: **East by:** House Site No.2, **West by:** Private Property, **North by:** House Site No. 20, **South by:** Road.

M/S. H.S. RAMAMURTHY & ASSOCIATES
Advocates
No.27/31, III Floor, Opp. 10th Cross, Cubbonpet, Bangalore-560 002.
Mob:9845143642

DEMAND NOTICE

Under Section 13(2) of the Securitisation And Reconstruction of Financial Assets And Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (the said Act.) read with Rule 3(1) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 (the said Rules). In exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(12) of the said Act read with Rule 3 of the said Rules, the **Authorised Officer of IIFL Home Finance Ltd. (IIFL HFL) (Formerly known as India Infoline Housing Finance Ltd.)** has issued Demand Notices under section 13(2) of the said Act, calling upon the Borrower(s), to repay the amount mentioned in the respective Demand Notice(s) issued to them. In connection with above, notice is hereby given, once again, to the Borrower(s) to pay within **60 days** from the publication of this notice, the amounts indicated herein below, together with further interest from the date(s) of Demand Notice till the date of payment. The detail of the Borrower(s), amount due as on date of Demand Notice and security offered towards repayment of loan amount are as under:

Name of the Borrower (s)/ Guarantor (s)/ Legal Heir's	Demand Notice Date & Amount	Description of secured asset (immovable property)
Mr.Manjunatha Mrs.Nageveni (Prospect No 948835 & IL10073376)	25- Nov-2023 948835 is Rs.6,24,668/- (Rupees Six Lakh Twenty Four Thousand Six Hundred Sixty Eight Only) & IL10073376 is Rs.10,09,895/- (Rupees Ten Lakh Nine Thousand Eight Hundred Ninety Five Only)	All that piece and parcel of the property being : Site No. 99, in Khata No. 5, Old BBMP Ward No. 55, Current Ward No. 181, PID No. 55-725-99, Land area Ad.Measuring: 676 Sq.ft, Built up area Ad.Measuring: 1183 Sq.ft in Kadirenahalli Janata Colony, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South. Karnataka, 560070. Bounded by: North: Others Property, South: Property No. 98, East: Property No. 24-2, West: Road.

Earlier demand notice dated 13-Dec-2022 stands withdrawan. If the said Borrowers fail to make payment to IIFL HFL as aforesaid, IIFL HFL may proceed against the above secured assets under Section 13(4) of the said Act, and the applicable Rules, entirely at the risks, costs and consequences of the Borrowers. For, further details please contact to Authorised Officer at **Branch Office: "ADAM CHAMBERS," #11, Richmond Road, Bengaluru - 560025 /Corporate Office:** IIFL Tower, Plot No. 98, Udyog Vihar, Ph-IV Gurgaon, Haryana.

Place: Bangalore, Date: 29-11-2023 **Sd/- Authorised Officer, For IIFL Home Finance Ltd.**

ICICI Bank | **Branch Office:** Branch Office: ICICI Bank limited, 1st Floor, West Wing, DSMG, Mythri Centre, Hosur Main Road, Bommanahalli, Bangalore- 560068

PUBLIC NOTICE - TENDER CUM E-AUCTION FOR SALE OF SECURED ASSET

[See proviso to rule 8(6)]
Notice for sale of immovable assets

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.
Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s) and Guarantor(s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the **Physical possession** of which has been taken by the Authorized Officer of ICICI Bank Limited will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" basis as per the brief particulars given hereunder;

Sr. No.	Name of Borrower(s)/ Co-Borrowers/ Guarantors/ Loan Account No.	Details of the Secured asset(s) with known encumbrances, if any	Amount Outstanding	Reserve Price / Earnest Money Deposit	Date and Time of Property Inspection	Date & Time of E-Auction
(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	(F)	(G)
1.	Mr. Harsha T R (Borrower) Sunitha B N (Co-Borrowers) Loan Account Number LBBNG00002870789	All That Piece and Parcel of Residential Site Bearing No.138, V.P. Katha No.110/138, Measuring East To West: 30 Feet And North To South: 50 Feet, In All Total Measuring 1500 Sq.ft., In The Layout Known as "KNS ANAGHA" Formed as Per The Layout Plan Sanctioned By The Anekal Planning Authority Vide No.APA/LAO/04/09-10, Dated: 28.04.2014, Formed In Sy.No.22/3 Schedule "A" Property), Situated at Haragadde Village, Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore and Bounded On: East By: Site No.137, West By: Site No.139, North By: Road, South By: Sy.No.22/2.	Rs. 15,91,286/- (as on November 17, 2023)	Rs. 23,20, 000/- / Rs. 2,32, 000/-	December 13, 2023 from 11:00 AM to 02:00 PM	December 27, 2023 from 11:00 AM to 12:00 PM
2.	Mr. N Parasuraman (Borrower) Sindhu (Co-Borrower) Loan Account Number LBBNG00005219133	All That Piece and Parcel of The Residential Apartment Flat No. 325, Facing North West On The Third Floor, of The Proposed Building To Be Constructed On The Schedule 'a' Property Known as "Axis Antara Situated at Yelenahalli Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk. In Terms of Plan Shown To The Purchaser/s and Approved By Him/her/them Consisting of Hall Cum Dining, 01 Bedrooms, 01 Study, 01 Toilets, Kitchen Along With Common Area and Facilities In All Measuring Approximately 590 Sq. Ft of Carpet Area (805 Sq. Ft. of Super Built- Up Area) Which May Vary By 2 % as Per Construction Agreement of Even Date And Bounded As Follows: On The East By: Amenities & Pool Area West By: Corridor & Lobby Area North By: Flat No.327 South By: Flat No. 323	Rs. 56,68,456/- (as on November 17, 2023)	Rs. 37,62, 000/- / Rs. 3,76, 200/-	December 14, 2023 from 11:00 AM to 02:00 PM	December 27, 2023 from 11:30 AM to 12:30 PM
3.	Mrs. Reena Gupta (Borrower) Deepak Kumar Gupta (Co-Applicant Name) Loan Account Number LBBNG00004025115 LBBNG00004132066	All That Piece and Parcel of The Property Bearing Residential Apartment Bearing No A-007, Pid No.150200101700620487, Assessment Number 1181/40/3/T-10/A-007 Ground Floor of Tower-10/block-5 Consists of One Hall, Two Bad Room, Kitchen, Bath Room And A Balcony In The Residential Apartment Complex Known as "Janaadhar Shubha" Constructed On The Schedule 'a' Property,having A Super Built Up Area of 656 Sq.ft With Vitrified Flooring and The Proportionate Share In The Common Areas, Such as, Passage/s, Stair/s, Duct/s, Well And/or Room/s, Water, Drainage and/or Electrical Conduit/s and/or Area/s Used In Common With The Purchaser/s of Other Apartment/s and Is Bounded On: East By: Open Space West By: Lobby & Open Space North By: Open Space South By: A-008	Rs. 19,99,316/- (as on November 17, 2023)	Rs. 16,11, 000/- / Rs. 1,61, 100/-	December 15, 2023 from 11:00 AM to 02:00 PM	December 27, 2023 from 12:30 PM to 01:30 PM
4.	Mr. Nadimpali Kiran Verma (Borrower) Chandravathi Nadimpalli Co Applicant Name Loan Account No. LBHYD00005408256	All That Piece and Parcel of The Residential Unit No.111, In The First Floor, Measuring 2072 Square Feet Super Built-up Area, Containing Three Bedroom, Hall, Kitchen Etc., Together With One Covered Car Parking Spaces, Including Proportionate Share In Common Areas Such as Passage, Lobbies, Staircase, Etc. Contained In The Multistoried Building To Be Constructed On The Schedule "A" Property Known as Roshan Platinum Apartment East By: Sy. No.82; West By: Remaining Portion of Land Belonging To Mr. Purushotham Reddy and Tejas and Theraftersy. No.85; North By: Sy. No.84; South By: Road.	Rs. 1,20,53, 270.24/- (as on November 17, 2023)	Rs. 99,20, 000/- / Rs. 9,92, 000/-	December 16, 2023 from 11:00 AM to 02:00 PM	December 27, 2023 from 01:30 PM to 02:30 PM
5.	Mr.Pradeep H P (Borrower) Mrs. Meghashree D M, Unity Foods (Co-Borrower) Manjunath Nh (Guarantor) Loan Account Number LBBNG00004712334	All That Piece and Parcel of The Residential Apartment Having E Katha No.150200102701020894, Bearing No.306 Situated In Second Floor of The Building, Measuring About 1208 Aq.ft of Super Built Up Area Consisting of Two Bed Room With Rcc Roofing, Tiled Flooring, Moulded Doors and Aluminum Windows Including Proportionate Share In Common Area Such As Passage, Lobbies, Staircase, Lifts and Other Areas of Common Use Contained In The Residential Apartment Complex Known as "Pushpam E Town" Constructed On The Schedule A Property With One Covered Car Parking Space Exclusively Earmarked For The Sole Use and Enjoyment of The Purchaser, Built According The Plan Approved By Anekal Planning Authority Vide Its Order No. CC/526//2013-14, Dated 30.10.2013 On Single Site Plan Approved By Anekal Planning Authority Vide Its Order No.LAO/34/2012-13, Bounded On, East By- Appt 307, West By: Common Corridor, North By: Ots & South By: Lift.	Rs. 65,80, 582.67/- (as on November 17, 2023)	Rs. 26,60, 000/- / Rs. 2,66, 000/-	December 18, 2023 from 11:00 AM to 02:00 PM	December 27, 2023 from 02:30 PM to 03:30 PM
6.	Mr. Pankaj Kumar (Borrower) Ravindra Kumar (Guarantor) Loan Account Number LBBNG00004904969	All That Piece and Parcel of Residential Site Bearing No. A-401, Tower Na.16/Block-6, Fourth Floor Consists of One Hall With Balcony. Two Bed Rooms (one Room and One Master Bed Room With Attached Toilet, Kitchen, Bath Room and A Toilet In The Project Known as "Janaadhar Shubha" Constructed On The Schedule A Property. Having A Carpet Area of 462.20 Sq.ft Excluding Balcony Area (Super Built Up Area of 656 Sq.ft) Located At Medehalli,attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore District North By- Mayasandra Gadi South By- Lands In Survey No.41 East By-land In Survey No.43 West By-road	Rs. 20,08,498 (as on November 17, 2023)	Rs. 20,35, 000/- / Rs. 2,03, 500/-	December 19, 2023 from 11:00 AM to 02:00 PM	December 27, 2023 from 03:30 PM to 04:30 PM
7.	Mr. Hariharan C (Borrower) Krishnamurthy Shivagami, C Chandrashekar (Co-Applicant Name) Loan Account Number LBBNG00005047074	All That Piece and Parcel of The Property Being Flat No.014, Ground Floor, of The Apartment Called Stag Sapthagiri With Super Built Up Area of About 1324 Square Feet, With Mosaic Flooring, Ordinary Wood/steel Windows and Doors, and One Covered Car Parking East By: Road and Measuring 30 Feet. West By: Storm Water Drain. North By: Plot No.21, Belonging To Punit N. Shah, South By: Plot No.31, Belonging To Kaushal Kumar	Rs. 83,95,652/- (as on November 17, 2023)	Rs. 66,80, 000/- / Rs. 6,68, 000/-	December 20, 2023 from 11:00 AM to 02:00 PM	December 27, 2023 from 04:30 PM to 05:30 PM
8.	Mr. Ritesh Ranjan (Borrower) Gunjan Srivastava (Co-Borrower) Loan Account Number LBBNG00002194426	(As Described In The Loan Document / Property Document Covering All That Part and Parcel of Vacant Site Bearing No. 104, Old Khatha No. 175/142/104, and New Khata No. 320/142/104, Formed Out of Sy. No. 11, 12/1 & 20. Bearing No. BMRDA/LAO/20/2004-05 Dated: 01-09-2004, Situated at Kyalasanahalli Village, Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore District. Conversation Order No. ALN.Sr. 16/1987-88, Dated 25-05- 1987, Issued By The Tahasildar, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore District. and ALN. SR (A) 118/2004-05, Dated 04-08-2004, Issued By The Dy. Commissioner Bangalore South Division, Bangalore, Measuring East To West 50 Feet and North To South 30 Feet, Totally Measuring 1500 Sq.ft. North: Site No.103 South: Site No.105 East: Site No.109. West: 30 Feet Road	Rs. 9,08,525 (as on November 17, 2023)	Rs. 44,75, 000/- / Rs. 4,47, 500/-	December 21, 2023 from 11:00 AM to 02:00 PM	December 27, 2023 from 05:30 PM to 06:30 PM

The online auction will take place on the website of e-auction agency **M/s NexXen Solutions Private Limited (URL Link-www.disposalhub.com).** The Mortgagors/ noticee are given a last chance to pay the total dues with further interest till **December 26, 2023** before **04:00 PM** failing which, this/these secured asset/s will be sold as per schedule.
The Prospective Bidder(s) must submit the Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) Demand Draft (DD) (Refer Column E) at **ICICI Bank limited, 1st Floor, West Wing, DSMG, Mythri Centre, Hosur Main Road, Bommanahalli, Bangalore- 560068** on or before **December 26, 2023** before **05:00 PM** and thereafter they need to submit their offer through the above mentioned website only on or before **December 26, 2023** before **05:00 PM** along with scan image of Bank acknowledged DD towards proof of payment of EMD. Kindly note, in case prospective bidder(s) are unable to submit their offer through the website then signed copy of tender documents may be submitted at **ICICI Bank limited, 1st Floor, West Wing, DSMG, Mythri Centre, Hosur Main Road, Bommanahalli, Bangalore- 560068** on or **December 26, 2023** before **05:00 PM.** Earnest Money Deposit DD/PO should be from a Nationalised/Scheduled Bank in favour of **"ICICI Bank Limited"** payable at **Bangalore.**
For any further clarifications with regards to inspection, terms and conditions of the e-auction or submission of tenders, kindly contact **ICICI Bank Limited** on **9844542086/8008999536/7304918084.**
Please note that Marketing agencies **1. No Broker.in 2. M/s NexXen Solutions Private Limited** have also been engaged for facilitating the sale of this property.
The Authorised Officer reserves the right to reject any or all the bids without furnishing any further reasons.
For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please visit **www.icicibank.com/n4p4s**

Date: November 29, 2023
Place: Bangalore

Authorized Officer
ICICI Bank Limited

TAMIL NADU MEDICAL SERVICES CORPORATION LTD.
No.417, Pantheon Road, Egmore, Chennai-600 008.
Phone : 28191890/28190259; Fax: 044 -28190636

Sl. No	Online Tender no. / Rate Contract (RC) No./ item with qty./ Document Cost	Sale Period	Pre bid	Last date Submission	Opening
1	Tender No. E1096/IT-MP/TNMSC/ENGG/ 2023, dt: 23.11..2023 - Tender for providing manpower services of Information Technology personnel to TNMSC for period of three years – Rs.5,725/-	06.12.2023 to 21.12.2023	13.12.2023 11.00 AM	22.12.2023 11.00 AM	22.12.2023 12.00 Noon

For details visit www.tenders.tn.gov.in and TNMSC website www.tnmsc.tn.gov.in
DIPR/6428/Tender/2023 **General Manager (Equipment)**

BANGALORE DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY
T. Chowdaiah Road, Kumara Park West, Bengaluru-560 020

Tender No. BDA/2023-24/SE0005 Date: 28.11.2023

INVITATION FOR SHORT-TERM TENDERS (two cover system)

BDA invites short-term tenders for **Providing Security arrangement for watch & ward of electrical power supply distribution systems at various Blocks of J.P. Nagara 8th Phase 2nd Blocks & J.P. Nagara 9th Phase 1, 2, 3, 4, 4a, 5 & 5a blocks, BDA, Bengaluru for the year 2023-24.** Amount put to tender: **Rs. 27.15 Lakhs.**

Calendar of Events : (1) Date of Downloading the tender document: **29.11.2023. (2)** Last date and time for receipt of tenders in e-portal: **13.12.2023, 16.00 hrs. (3)** Date and time for opening of Technical Bids: **14.12.2023, 17.00 hrs. afterwards. (4)** Date & time of opening of Financial Bids: **As per e-portal publication.**

For more details please refer e-procurement portal website: **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** or contact at office of the Executive Engineer (Elec.), BDA, T. Chowdaiah Road, Kumara Park West, Bengaluru. Contact No.: +91 9845630164.

Sd/- Executive Engineer (Ele.),
Electrical Division, BDA, Bengaluru

BDA/PRO/TN/06/2023-24

Can Fin Homes Ltd
#445,Ground Flr,4th Main 5th Cross, Near Shreya Hospital,Kengeri Satellite Town, Bangalore-560 060,Ph No. 080-28486098/99
Mob: 7625079154
e-Mail: kengeri@canfinhomes.com
CIN No. L85110KA1987PLC008699

Kengeri Branch

[PROVISO TO RULE 9(1)]
Sale notice for sale of immovable properties

SALE NOTICE for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 9(1) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.
NOTICE is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the physical possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of Can Fin Homes Ltd., Kengeri Branch, will be sold by holding e-auction on "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" on **21.12.2023,** for recovery of **Rs. 12,02,856/-** (Rupees Twelve Lakhs Two Thousand Eight hundred and Fifty Six only) due to Can Fin Homes Ltd. from **MAHESH S and PUSHPAVATHI M,** as on 28.11.2023, together with further interest and other charges thereon.
The reserve price will be **Rs. 7,00,000/-** (Rupees Seven Lakhs) and the earnest money deposit will be **Rs.70,000/-** (Rupees Seventy Thousand only)

Description of the Immovable Property

All that piece and parcel of immoveable property bearing Site no 17, Assessment no 23/2 & 25, situated at 1st Phase, Irigenahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Nelamangala Taluk, Bangalore Rural, measuring East to West 24.9+27/2 feet and North to South 40 feet, in total measuring 1032 Square feet, bounded on the: East by : Road, West by : Private Property, North by : Site No 16, South by:Site No 18

Encumbrances :Nil

The detailed terms and conditions of the sale are provided in the official website of Can Fin Homes Ltd., (www.canfinhomes.com). Please refer to the following link https://www.canfinhomes.com/SearchAuction.aspx

Sd/-
Date : 28.11.2023 **Authorised Officer**
Place : Bengaluru Can Fin Homes Ltd.

RAIL COACH FACTORY KAPURTHALA

On-line bids are invited by PCMM, RCF on behalf of President of India for following items:-

Sr. No.	Tender No. & Due Date	Description	Quantity	EMD (Rs.)
1.	02231380 20.12.2023	LED LIGHT FITTING TYPE-'H1'	1780 Nos	94850.00
2.	02231383 26.12.2023	PA SYSTEM FOR CHAIR CAR/POWR CAR (TWO TYPES)	82 Sets.	62210.00
3.	02231388 20.12.2023	LED LIGHT FITTING FOR READING LIGHT TYPE- 'Q1' AND 'Q2'	958 Nos.	58710.00
4.	02231392 20.12.2023	HIGH CAPACITY INTER VEHICAL COUPLER UNIT (500AMP RATING)	18 Sets.	167390.00
5.	02231393 02.01.2024	16 PIN CONTROL COUPLER & UIC CNTROL CABLE	18 SETS	NIL
6.	01231312 20.12.2023	Set of Pins LHB Bogies.	2200 Nos	252850/-
7.	13225848C 20.12.2023	Design, manufacture, erection and supply of complete Skin Tensioning workstation on turnkey basis. As per Spec no. MECH/M/UMBRELLA PROJECT/ SKIN TENSIONING EQUIPMENT, REV.-01 dated 14/11/2023. PL NO. 659008390018	01 NOS	2,96,000.00
8.	17231299A 02.01.2024	Entrance Hand Rail Complete	4691 Nos.	74150/-

CORRIGENDUM
1. Tender No. 14221101D; **Due date:** to be read as 06.12.2023 instead of 23.11.2023; **2. Tender No.** 01231173A; **Due date:** 04.12.2023; **Description: 1.** Bogie Frame Arrangement For 1600 HP AC-AC DMU/DPC Coaches. **2.** Bogie Frame Arrangement For EMU Trailer Coaches With 180/150KN Air Spring.

1.For details and making On-line bids, visit Website **http://ireps.gov.in.** Drawings/specifications, wherever required can be downloaded from RCF Website **http://www.rcf.indianrailways.gov.in** Class IIIb digital signature certificate required for on-line bidding, can be obtained from licensed certifying agencies listed at **http://www.cce.gov.in 2.** Tenders will close at 14.25 HRS. on due date and tender will be opened at 14.30 HRS. S.No 1 to 6 Tenders will opened at Tilak Bridge New Delhi, and S.No. 7 to 8 Tender will opened at Kapurthala; **3.** For queries, contact IREPS Helpdesk at 011-24102855, 011-24105180 or RCF helpdesk at 011-23378658. **PCMM**

NO. 127-S/2023-24 **Dated: 28.11.2023**

KARNATAKA URBAN WATER SUPPLY & DRAINAGE BOARD
KALABURAGI ZONE, KALABURAGI
Office of the Chief Engineer, KUWS & D Board, Kalaburagi Zone,
"Jalbhavan", Rajapur, Kusnoor Road, Kalaburagi – 585105. Tel : 08472-220817, Fax : 08472-260818, E-mail ID : kwbceklb14@gmail.com

No. KWB/CE(K)/TEC/WS/Aland/AMRUT2/2023-24/970 Date: 27-11-2023

-: NOTICE INVITING TENDER (2ND CALL):-

1) Detail of Work: Providing Water Supply Scheme to Aland Town in, Kalaburagi District with Amarja Reservoir as Source Under AMRUT 2.0 Including O&M for a Period of 5 Years (including 1 Year Defects Liability Period) through Design, Build, Operate and Transfer (DBOT) Mode (Lumpsum) - No Variation **Work Indent No : KUWSDB/2023-24 / WS / WORK_INDENT81,** 2) Amount of Estimate: **Rs. 6950.16 Lakhs (Excluding GST),** 3) Eligibility of Contractor: Eligible Contractors, 4) Details of Tender application amount and EMD amount: Rs. 82,02,000/-, 5) Period of Completion: 24 Months (Including Monsoon), 6) Date & Time of Pre-Bid Meeting: **16-12-2023 Up to 11:30 Hours**, 7) Last Date and Time for receipt of Tenders: **30-12-2023 Up to 17:30 Hours**, 8) Date and Time for Opening of Tender : **02-01-2024 After 11:00 Hours**, 9) Addl. information: Office of the Chief Engineer, KUWS & D Board, Kalaburagi Zone, "Jalbhavan", Rajapur, Kusnoor Road, Tel : 08472-220817, Fax : 08472-260818, E-mail ID : kwbceklb14@gmail.com, 10) Address of E-portal: www.kppp.karnataka.gov.in

Sd/- Chief Engineer
DIPR/Kalaburagi/516/KSMC&A/2023-24 **KUWS & D Board, Kalaburagi Zone, Kalaburagi**

PUBLIC NOTICE

Public are hereby informed that my Client Sri. Jose Alexander, R/at: Casa Delphina Apartment #0G 2990/1A, Indiranagar 12th 'A' Main, HAL 2nd Stage, Bangalore-560038, has lost the Original Sale Deed dated 18.08.1995, registered as Document No.3785/1995-96, Book-I, in the office of Sub-Registrar, Bangalore.

Persons having claims or having any right, title or interest in the schedule mentioned property, may lodge their objections and / or claims with the undersigned along with supporting documentary evidence within 15 days from the date of this publication. If no objections and / or claims received thereafter will not be binding on my clients and my clients will proceed with the Sale/Mortgage of below mentioned property, as if there are no claimants / objections.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

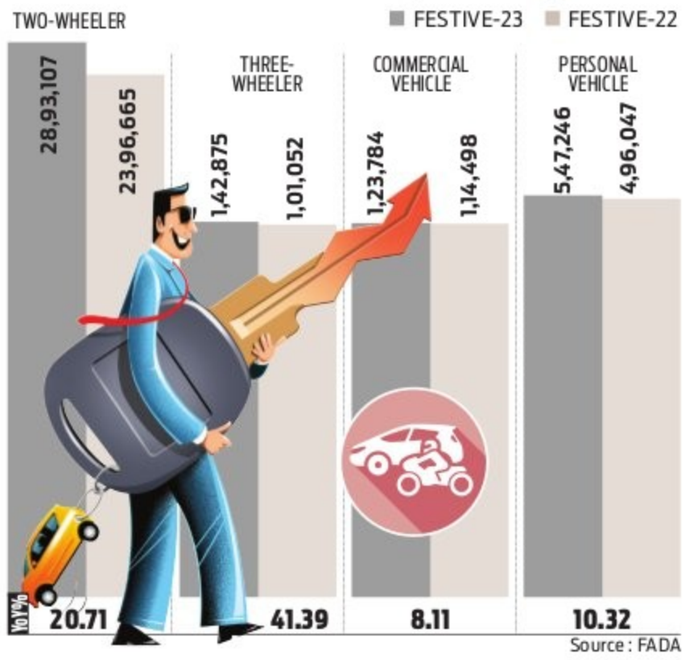
All that piece and parcel of Apartment bearing **No.301, 2nd Floor,** in the **B-1 Block, PID No.73-76-21/76,** the residential apartment complex known as **"RIFCO ARUNA APARTMENTS"** measuring **1330 sq.ft.** of super built up area, along with **753 sq.ft.** of undivided share, situated at 6th Cross, Airport Road, Konena Agrahara, Bangalore East Taluk.

Kavitha S. & Associates,
Advocates & Legal Consultants,
1006/1, 2nd Floor, Balaji Building,
1st Cross M E S Colony, HAL Airport Exit Road, Bangalore - 560 017
Mobile: 96868 58225

Market Watch

MARKET			GOLD		SILVER		FOREX	
204.16 ▲ Sensex	66,174.20		24 carat (10 gm)	₹62,710	1 kg	₹78,500	▲ Dollar	83.34
95.00 ▲ Nifty	19,889.70		22 carat (10 gm)	₹57,500	10 gm	₹785	▲ Euro	91.39

Vehicle retail sales in festive period



Source : FADA

Auto sales hit fresh high this festive season

Two-wheelers lead surge in sales; category sees recovery after struggling for years

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

DURING the 42-day festive period of CY23 (from 1st day of Navratri and ends 15 days post Dhanteras), the automobile sales touched a new high.

Retail vehicle sales climbed to 37.93 lakh units, a 19% rise from last year's 31.95 lakh units, as per the latest data shared by the Federation of Automobile Dealers Associations (FADA).

The surge in sales during the auspicious period was led by two-wheelers as this category witnessed a big recovery after struggling for the past few years.

During the 42-day period under observation, two-wheeler sales registered an impressive growth of 21% to 28.93 lakh units. Passenger vehicle (PV) sales, led by demand for SUVs, grew by 10% to 547,246 units during the festive period.

"Record-breaking sales were reported in several categories, with rural areas particularly contributing to the surge in two-wheeler purchases. Despite initial underperformance during Navratri, particularly in the passenger vehicle sector, the situation improved by Deepawali, ending with a 10% growth rate," said FADA President Manish Raj Singhania.

Earlier this month, Hero MotoCorp, country's largest two-wheeler maker, recorded its highest-ever festive sales, clocking more than 14 lakh units in retail sales during the 42-day festive period – between the first day of the Navratras and Bhai Dooj – this year. Hero had said robust customer demand in the rural markets, in addition to the very positive sentiments in key urban centers, drove sales.

On passenger vehicle sales, Singhania said that while sports utility vehicles (SUVs) were the highest-demanded vehicles, inventory levels for passenger vehicles remain a significant concern as OEMs continue to push further dispatch thus keeping the inventory rate at near to all-time high levels.

> **Despite initial underperformance during Navratri, mainly in passenger vehicle sector, the situation improved by Deepawali, ending with a 10% growth rate**
>
> Manish Raj Singhania, FADA President

According to auto industry executives, demand for entry-level small cars continues to remain weak and even after lucrative offers, there are few takers for hatchbacks.

During the festive period, a significant growth was also observed in the three-wheeler and commercial vehicles as they clocked a growth of 41% and 8%, respectively. Tractors, which saw an 8.3% decrease in sales during Navratri, made a remarkable recovery, ending the festive period with only a 0.5% decrease. "This turnaround highlights the robust purchasing power in rural India," said Singhania.

Digital India bill after '24 polls: Officials

RAKESH KUMAR @ New Delhi

THE Digital India bill will not be presented in the winter session of parliament, as per officials.

According to them, chances are high that the bill, which will replace the 23-year-old IT Act of India, will be introduced only after the general election in 2024. Two top officials of the Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology attributed the delay in presenting the bill in parliament to lack of proper consultation on it.

The government is of the view that the bill needs more deliberation before the draft is tabled in parliament.

"This is a very important bill, and we can't introduce it in parliament until we have a proper consultation. Therefore, once we are satisfied with discussion, the government will come up with the final draft and present it in the parliament," said the official.

The DIA is likely to have several provisions to deal with emerging technologies such as artificial intelligence (AI), quantum computing and many other things. It will also have provision to tackle the misuse of AI-driven deepfakes on social media platforms. It is believed that with the Digital India Act, the government may do away with the immunity provided to social media platforms under Section 79 of the IT Act, 2000. So far, the government already had pre-draft consultations on the Bill across cities such as Mumbai and Bengaluru. "Seeing the current development, I doubt it will be presented even in budget session next year," said another official.

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The Digital India is one of the most important bills. Explaining the importance of the bill, Minister of State IT Rajeev Chandrasekhar, had earlier said that India is soon going to have 1.3 billion people accessing the internet and these Digital Nagriks should approach the internet without any fear and mistrust, especially as many government services also move to the internet.

"A safe and trusted internet is a win-win for all stakeholders," he had said.

HC slaps ₹2L fine on Grover for social media posts

UMA KANNAN @ Bengaluru

FINTECH firm BharatPe's former MD Ashneer Grover has tendered an apology before the Delhi high court for his social media posts against the firm. The HC has directed him to pay ₹2 lakh fine.

It is said that Grover tendered a written affidavit containing an unconditional apology and an undertaking to refrain from making any further 'defamatory posts' against BharatPe. Also, the judge said the HC was appalled to see Grover's conduct and persistent violation of its previous orders. In his recent social media post, Grover disclosed information about equity allocation and secondary components undertaken by the fintech firm in Series E funding round, led by Tiger Global,

Last week, BharatPe's parent company Resilient Innovations filed a fresh case in the HC against Grover seeking an interim injunction to restrain him from disclosing confidential information of the company. Earlier in May, the court had asked both Grover and BharatPe not to use defamatory language against each other.

Meanwhile, BharatPe has announced that it turned EBITDA positive in October. Its annualised revenue has surged over ₹1,500 crore, a growth of 31% from FY23.

The company has also significantly cut down its EBITDA burn, which was averaging at ₹60 crore per month in FY23, to attain EBITDA positive It is also seeing growth in its lending vertical. In October, it facilitated loans exceeding ₹640 crore for its merchants in partnership with its NBFC partners.

Apple officials to meet CERT-IN in Dec first week

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

THE representatives of iPhone maker Apple are likely to meet the officials of CERT-In, a cybersecurity investigation unit under the Ministry of Electronics and IT, in the first week of December 2023.

Apple's cyber security executives will meet the investigation agency to discuss the warning messages of hacking iPhone sent to the Indian parliamentarians. "The group was supposed to join the investigation by the end of this month. Now, they may arrive in India in the first week of December 2023," said an official.

On November 24, 2023, the parliamentarians including Shiv Sena (UBT) MP Priyanka Chaturvedi, Trinamool Congress' Mahua Moitra, Aam Aadmi Party's Raghav Chadha, and Congress' Shashi Tharoor shared screenshots of warning messages reading a hacking attempt made by state-sponsored attackers on their social media platforms. These individuals have alleged that the government is conducting surveillance on them. However, the government warded off their charges, and said it asked the American tech giant to participate in the investigation to determine the reason behind this message. Minister of Electronics and IT Ashwini Vaishnaw said that the government has asked Apple to join the investigation with real, accurate information on the alleged state sponsored attacks.

Meanwhile, Apple clarified that it does not attribute the threat notifications to any specific state-sponsored attacker. The company also declined to divulge information about the triggers for issuing these notifications, citing concerns that such details could aid state-sponsored attackers in adapting their tactics to avoid detection in the future.

3 more semiconductor fab units with $8-12 bn investment soon: Vaishnaw

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ Bengaluru

THE country will get three more semiconductor chip fabrication units with the cumulative investments between $8-12 billion in next few months, said minister for electronics and IT Ashwini Vaishnaw on Tuesday.

On the sidelines of semiconductor company AMD's launch of a global design centre in Bengaluru, he said talks are on with Tamil Nadu, Telangana, Gujarat and Karnataka governments for setting up units. Vaishnaw said they could see at least two good proposals for fabrication and OSAT (outsourced semiconductor assembly and test) in the coming few months.

"This sector, a new industry for the country, will grow as a major contributor to the entire developing manufacturing base of electronics, telecom and defense electronics," he added. Micron's semiconductor plant plan, announced in June, begun construction in September 2023, and the pace of development has given a massive boost of confidence in India's semiconductor mission, he said.

The design centre in Bengaluru will house about 3,000 engineers, focused on the design and development of semiconductor technology including 3D stacking, artificial intelligence and machine learning. This campus is part of AMD's $400 million investment in India over next five years.

The centre will serve as a centre of excellence for the development of leadership products across high-performance CPUs for the data centre and PCs, gaming GPUs (graphics processing unit), and adaptive SoCs (system-on-chip) and FPGAs (field-programmable gate arrays) for embedded devices, AMD said.

Vaishnaw said, "India's semiconductor program launched under the leadership of Prime Minister Narendra Modi lays strong emphasis on supporting the design and talent ecosystem for semiconductors. AMD setting up its largest design centre in Bengaluru is a testament to the confidence global companies have in India."

The India Design Centre started in 2004, and currently 25% of AMD's global workforce is located in India and they support the development of AMD leadership products for data centre, gaming, PC and embedded customers.

ASIANOMICS

JAPAN

CAN'T SAY INFLATION WILL HIT 2% TARGET: BOJ CHIEF

Bank of Japan (BOJ) Governor Kazuo Ueda on Monday said the central bank can't tell with conviction that inflation will sustainably achieve its 2% inflation target. The BOJ chief told parliament that the central bank is seeing some positive signs in wages and inflation. However, there's uncertainty on whether this cycle will strengthen. Data showed on Tuesday showed a key measure of Japan's trend inflation accelerated to 2.2% in October, marking a fresh record high in a sign of broadening price pressure that heightens the case for the BOJ to roll back its monetary stimulus. The data adds to recent growing signs that prospects of sustained wage increases are prodding firms to hike prices for their services, a trend the central bank sees as a prerequisite for ending ultra-low interest rates.

THAILAND

OCT EXPORT GROWTH HIGHEST IN OVER A YEAR

Exports of Thailand in October jumped at the fastest annual pace in more than a year, according to the country's commerce ministry. However, it fell short of expectation. It said the full-year exports would still show a small contraction. According to the ministry, customs-based exports, a key driver of Thailand's economy, jumped 8% in October from a year earlier. The growth was supported by the recovery of demand during the year-end festive season. The export gains were helped by higher shipments of agricultural products and industrial goods, it said. The export momentum will continue into next year, the ministry added. However, the ministry said exports are expected to fall 1% this year before rising 2% next year. Exports fell 2.7% year-on-year in the first 10 months of 2023. Exports of agricultural products rose 12.3% year-on-year in October, while industrial goods shipments rose 5.4%. Rice export volumes jumped 5.6% year-on-year, with export value up 38%. Exports to the US rose 13.8% year-on-year in October.

CHINA

CENTRAL BANK VOWS TO MAINTAIN CURRENCY STABILITY

The People's Bank of China (PBOC), the country's central bank, has said it will make effort to guard the stability of renminbi exchange rate to cope with a transitory weakening of the currency in the past months. The PBOC, in its third-quarter monetary policy report published on Monday, said it will rectify any cyclical market behaviours, and resolutely address any actions that disturb the market order and guard against the overshooting risks of renminbi exchange rate. Amid falling US Treasury yields and positive changes in domestic economic recovery, the renminbi exchange rate has shown a strengthening trend recently. They said there is a solid basis for the Chinese currency to stay stable. The parity rate of the renminbi against the US dollar was at 7.1132 on Tuesday, the strongest level since June.

Aster DM Healthcare sells Gulf biz in $1 bn deal

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ Chennai

BENGALURU-based Aster DM Healthcare Limited on Tuesday announced its decision to sell 65% stakes in its Gulf businesses -- Aster DM Healthcare FZC to a consortium of investors led by Fajr Capital in a deal valued at $1 billion.

Aster DM has separated its business in India and Gulf Co-operation Council (GCC) market into two standalone entities. It received board approvals from its subsidiary Affinity Holdings and approval from its board for the decision.

As per the company, current market cap of combined business stands at $2 billion. The transaction values the GCC business at an enterprise value of $1.7 billion (₹13,540 cr) and equity value of $1billion (₹8,215 cr). It expects the deal to close by March 2024.

GCC BUSINESS

Dr Azad Moopen to continue as the founder and Chairman of Aster overseeing both India and GCC entities. Moopen family will retain a 35% stake in the GCC Business

Aster DM Healthcare, established by Kerala-based Dr Azad Moopen, has 19 hospitals and other healthcare facilities spread across five southern states. In the Gulf, it has 15 hospitals, across the UAE, Saudi Arabia, Qatar, Oman, Bahrain and Jordan.

The consortium includes Emirates Investment Authority, Al Dhow Holding Company, Hana Investment Company and Wafra International Investment Company. As per the separation plan, both the India and GCC entities will be operated by separate management teams. Dr Azad Moopen will continue as the founder and Chairman of Aster overseeing both India and GCC entities. Alisha Moopen will be promoted to MD and Group CEO of the GCC business and Dr Nitish Shetty, the current CEO will remain CEO for India business. Moopen family will retain a 35% stake in the GCC Business.

Dr Azad Moopen said the decision was based on the rationale to establish fair value for both entities that are able to leverage growth opportunities in their respective markets. "In India, we as promoters remain committed to our growth plans and hence had raised our stake to 42% earlier this year. Major institutional shareholders continue to remain invested, reflecting confidence in the company's India business model and go-to-market strategy spanning all segments of the healthcare space," he said.

EXPRESS READ

Digital fraud: 70 lakh mobiles disconnected

NEW DELHI: In response to recent digital fraud incidents, the Secretary of the Department of Financial Services, Vivek Joshi, chaired a meeting on Tuesday to address concerns regarding cyber security and rising number of online financial fraud cases. During the meeting, it was noted that 70 lakh mobile connections associated with cybercrime and financial frauds have been disconnected. *ENS*

Rupee recovers from record lows, rises 6 paise

NEW DELHI: Rupee on Tuesday rebounded from record low levels, gaining 6 paise to settle at 83.34 against US dollar amid positive sentiment in the equity markets and foreign fund inflow. Forex traders said a weak USD against major rivals and crude prices close to $80 per barrel level supported the currency. At the interbank foreign exchange market, rupee moved in the range of 83.32 to 83.39 against USD. *PTI*

TCS share buyback: Tata Sons to tender 2.96 cr shares worth over ₹12,000 crore

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ Bengaluru

THE country's largest IT services company Tata Consultancy Services (TCS) on Tuesday announced that its share buyback will start on December 1 and end on December 7, and Tata Sons intends to tender about 2.96 crore of its shares in the company worth over ₹12,200 crore.

Tata Investment Corporation Limited intends to tender 11,358 shares. The company proposes to buy back up to 4.09 crore equity shares at ₹4,150. The equity shares to be bought back pursuant to the buyback represents 1.12% of the total issued and paid-up equity share capital as on September 30, 2023.

"Assuming full acceptance, the funds that would be employed by the Company for the purpose of the Buyback of 4,09,63,855 Equity Shares at a price of ₹4,150 per equity share would not exceed ₹17,000 crore excluding transaction costs, applicable taxes, other incidental and related expense," it said in the exchange filing.

Post buyback, promoter and promoter companies' shareholding will change from 72.3% to 72.41%. "Aggregate shareholding of the promoters/promoter companies after completion of the buyback shall be 72.41% of the post-buyback total paid-up equity share capital of the company, and the aggregate public shareholding of the company shall be 27.59% of the post-buyback total paid-up equity share capital of the company," it said.

TCS bought back shares for the first time in 2017. It acquired shares valued at ₹16,000 crore at 18% premium. In 2020, it had bought back shares worth ₹16,000 crore.

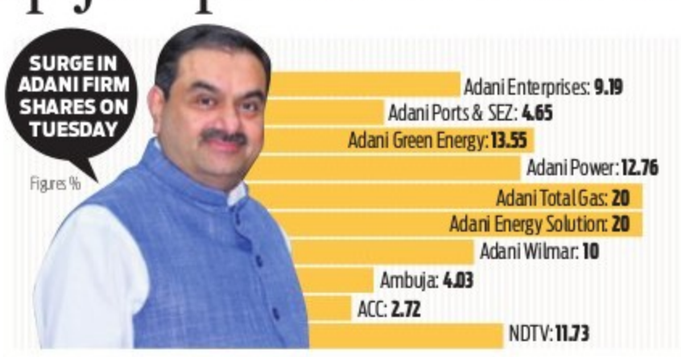
Adanis m-cap jumps ₹1L cr after court verdict

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

ADANI GROUP shares were in high demand on Tuesday, surging up to 20% after the Supreme Court on Friday reserved its order to probe the group companies based on US short-seller Hindenburg Research allegations.

Tuesday was the first trading session after Friday's proceedings as the stock exchanges were closed on Monday.

This rally, one of the sharpest since the release of Hindenburg's report on January 24, added ₹1 lakh crore in market capitalisation for the 10-listed firms of the Group. The combined market valuation of the Group soared to ₹11.31 lakh crore at the end of trade on Tuesday. It stood at ₹10.26 lakh crore at the close of trading on Friday. Experts said investors' sentiment got a boost after the top court said they can't proceed ahead assuming the report published Hindenburg to be correct. A bench led by Chief Justice of India (CJI) DY Chandrachud reserved its verdict in the case and said market regulator Sebi must complete the probe in all 24 cases.



"Despite serious allegations, investors believe Adani Group will receive a clean chit from Sebi. This may put an end to the allegations and bring back confidence," a senior analyst said. As per him, such a sharp surge may lead to profit booking and investors should be careful while trading in Adani stocks. Shares of Adani Total Gas and Adani Energy surged 20% each, while Adani Power soared 12.76%, Adani Green jumped 13.55, NDTV advanced 11.73%, Adani Wilmar went up 10% and Adani Enterprises rose 9.19%. Adani Ports gained 4.65%, Ambuja Cements rose 4.03% and ACC jumped 2.72%.

RAIL WHEEL FACTORY

Yelahanka, BANGALORE - 560 064 Website: www.rwf.indianrailways.gov.in.

TENDER NOTICE NO.RWF/S/P1/014/2023-24 dtd 28.11.23

On behalf of the President of India, Principal Chief Materials Manager invites electronic Tenders from interested Vendors for supply of the following items on the Indian Railways E-Portal – www.ireps.gov.in. The Tender documents and the Corrigenda to the Tenders, if any, will be available on the Portal only.

Sl	Tender No.	Due date	Short description & Qty.
1	P1232355	11-12-23	Recentering tool holder for CNC drilling machine, SEFAS chamfer No. 337120R732 with spares. Make: Kennametal OR Sandvik OR SECO. **Qty.:** 69 sets
2	P1232392	13-12-23	Silico Manganese as per RWF specification (Developmental Tender). **Qty.:** 26000 kgs
3	P1232318	26-12-23	Silica Sand 45 AFS as per RWF specification. **Qty.:** 1500 MT
4	P1232419	27-12-23	Magnesia Carbon Bricks as per RWF specification(Developmental Tender). **Qty.:** 4200 Nos
5	P1232391	27-12-23	Ferro Silicon as per RWF specification. **Qty.:** 35000 kgs
6	P12317748	03-01-24	Air Setting Mortar (Super 3000)as per RWF specification. **Qty.:** 8500 kgs
7	P1232400	03-01-24	Leather Hand Gloves 18" (non reinforced) IS 6994 (Part.I) Type - I. **Qty.:** 43678 Pairs
Global Tender:			
1	P1232300	03-01-24	Veegum Granules to WAP specification. **Qty.:** 925 kgs
2	P1232301	08-01-24	Air Setting Mortar(Super 3000) as per RWF specification. **Qty.:** 24649 kgs
3	P1232302	10-01-24	Pouring Tube Ceramic as per RWF specification. **Qty.:** 873 Nos

Principal Chief Materials Manager

Bharat Petroleum IndianOil HP

NOTICE

Further to the Notice of Draw/Re-Draw published in this newspaper on 11-Nov-2023, please note that the redraw for location Tugaonhalsi, District: Bidar, Category: SC could not be held due to technical error. The revised date for re-draw shall be published subsequently.

KARNATAKA POWER TRANSMISSION CORPORATION LIMITED

(CIN: U40109KA1999SGC025521)

No:948/BGM//TL&SS/EE(E)/AE(T)/2023-24/F-159/6406-10 Date:27.11.2023

SHORT - TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION-2

KPTCL invites sealed tenders in duplicate from Manufacturer/ Experience/Authorized Service Agency for the work of "repair and reconditioning along with supply of spares required for 02 Nos of ERL make MCVCB's connected to 11KV Bank at 220KV Receiving Station, M.K. Hubli. **Particulars: Breaker Details:** Make: ERL, Type: EVB1225, DOM: 21.11.2007, DOC: 21.12.2012/07.03.2011, Rated Voltage: 11KV, Rated current: 1250Amps. Qty: 02 Nos.

The under singed may be contacted for tender closing date and tender opening date and other condition within office hour on working days.

Sd/-Executive Engineer (E), TL & SS Division, KPTCL, Nehru Nagar, Belagavi-590010, Ph: 0831-2470560.

BEFORE THE HON'BLE II ADDL. PRL. JUDGE FAMILY COURT AT BENGALURU

M.C.NO. 2126/2023

BETWEEN:Sri Saravanan Sivasubramanian Aged about 49 years, S/o. Shri R Sivasubramanian, S1-303. SILVERWOOD REGENCY APARTMENTS, KASAVANAHALLI MAIN ROAD, OPP PLAY ARENA OFF SARJAPURA ROAD, KAIKONDRAHALLI CARMELRAM POST, BANGALORE -560035

...Petitioner

AND: Smt. Hema Vaittilingam @ Manju W/o Saravanan Sivasubramanian Aged about 44 years, Flat No.11132, Shobha Silicon Oasis Apartment, DoddanagamangalaMain Road, Off Hosa Road, BANGALORE -560100

...Respondent

NOTICE TO THE RESPONDENT

Smt. Hema Vaittilingam @ Manju W/o Saravanan Sivasubramanian Aged about 44 years, Flat No. 11132, Shobha Silicon Oasis Apartment, DoddanagamangalaMain Road, Off Hosa Road, BANGALORE -560100.

Whereas, the petitioner has filed a Divorce case under Section 13(1) (i-a) of the Hindu Marriage Act-1955, against the respondent in the M.C.No.2126/2023, you the respondent is hereby summoned to appear in this court either in person or through your pleader on the **2nd Day of JANUARY 2024 at 11:00 AM.** Take the summons that in default of your appearance on the day and the time above mentioned, you shall be placed ex-parte.

Given under by hand and seal of the court, on 4th day of November 2023.

By Order of the Court
Senior Sheristedar
Family Court Bengaluru

Advocate for Petitioner
Sri. Varghese Salvan P.S.. Advocate,
No.209/1, 5th Cross, 2nd Main Road, Bellanduru, (V & P) Bengaluru-560103, Ph. No. 9886934352

DR. B. R. AMBEDKAR SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS UNIVERSITY BENGALURU

No: BASEU/ENG/14/2022 Date: 27.11.2023

E-TENDER NOTIFICATION - Call-2

The Registrar, Dr. B.R. Ambedkar School of Economics University, Bengaluru invites tenders from eligible tenderers for Providing 3 Cars with Air Conditioner for a period of one year. The **Tender No. is BASE/2023-24/SE0001 call-2**, Estimated cost is **Rs.14,40,000/-** and EMD is **Rs.36,000/-.** The tenderer shall upload/submit the tender **before 5:00 pm on 12-12-2023** through public procurement portal of Karnataka **(https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in)** For more details, please refer Karnataka public procurement portal website: **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in.** The undersigned reserve the right to cancel or reject the tender without assigning any reasons.

DIPR/CP/YC/2314/2023-24 **Sd/- Registrar**

Contact us: Jnana Bharathi Main Road, Nagarbhavi P.O. Bengaluru Karnataka - 560072. Active Helpdesk : 080-29557767 E-mail: info@base.ac.in

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Oriental United

CIRCLE OFFICE: SASTRA Department: 26-27, Raheja Towers, M.G.Road, Bangalore-560001. E-Mail: cs8191@pnb.co.in

POSSESSION NOTICE (For Immovable Property)

1122601600125 6 B/O : Sahakarnagar (SOL : 112210)

Whereas, the Authorized Officer of the **Punjab National Bank** under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of Powers conferred under Section 13 read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002, issued a demand notice dated **11.09.2023** calling upon **Shri Manjunath S V S/o Veeranna S** to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs.20,77,664.08 (Rupees Twenty Lakhs Seventy Seven Thousand Six Hundred and Sity Four and Paise Eight Only)** being the dues as on **30.08.2023** until payment in full within 60 days from the date of notice/date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower/mortgagor/guarantor and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said Rules on this **28th November 2023.**

The borrowers in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of Punjab National Bank for an amount of **Rs.20,77,664.08 (Rupees Twenty Lakhs Seventy Seven Thousand Six Hundred and Sity Four and Paise Eight Only)** being the dues as on **30.08.2023** with further interest and charges from **01.09.2023.**

The borrower's / guarantor's / mortgagor's attention is invited to provisions of section 13(8) of the Act in respect of time available to redeem the secured assets.

Description of immovable property

SL	Facility	Security
1	Overdraft Facility against mortgage of Property	All that piece and parcel of property being Northern portion of Property bearing Site No.20 formed in the Property No.57 (Old in Half Portiion of Site No.20) Old Khata No.459, situated at Bhoopasandra, Kasaba Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk, presently coming under the Jurisdiction of Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagar Palike, Old ward No.100, New Ward No.19, Mohammed Layout, 2nd Cross, Bhoopsandra, Bengaluru, bearing PID No.100-284-20, measuring East-West: 40 feet and North - South : 15 feet, in all measuring 600 square feet together with 5 squares R.C.C. roofed building and 2 squares AC Sheet building with Red Oxide flooring with all civic amenities. **1. Owned by : Mr Manjunatha S V**

Date: 28.11.2023
Place: Bangalore

For Punjab National Bank (SECURED CREDITOR)
(Chandrajeet Kumar)
(Chief Manager & Authorised Officer)

GOVERNMENT HOMOEOPATHIC MEDICAL COLLEGE & HOSPITAL

Dr. Siddiah Puranika Raod, Basaveshwaranagara Bengaluru-560079
Ph: +91-80-23359413, Email: ghmchprincipal@gmail.com.
Website: https://ghmcbengaluru.in

Ref: GHMCH/30/Supply/23-24 Date:23.11.2023

REQUEST FOR PROPSAL (RFP)

Tender for supply and Installation of Lab Equipment for Government Homoeopathic Medical College and Hospital Bengaluru under NAM for the year 2023-24

The Principal, Government Homoeopathic Medical College and Hospital, Dr. Siddaiah Puranika Road, Basaveshwaranagara, Bengaluru-560079, invites e-tenders from the eligible Tenderes in two cover system for **Supply and installation of LAB Equipments for Government Homoeopathic Medical College And Hospital, under NAM programme** through e-procurement portal of Government of Karnataka **(https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in)** as per the provisions of the Karnataka Transparency in Public Procurement Act & Rules 1999-2000. Qualified tenderer to participate in this tenders shall necessarily register themselves with above mentioned e procurement portal.

1) Total Estimated Bid Value: **Rs. 32.00 lakhs 2)** Clarification / Pre-Bid Meeting Date and Time: **02.12.2023 at 12:00 pm. 3)** Last Date & Time for submission of tender: **13.12.2023 upto 5:30 pm. 4)** Date & Time of opening of the technical bid: **16.12.2023 at 11:00 am. 5)** Tentative Date & time of opening of financial bid: **22.12.2023 at 11:00 am. 6)** Tender Processing Fee: **Rs. 500/- (+18% GST) 7)** EMD Amount: **Indicated in section 1 (I) of schedule of requirement in column 4 in individual item.**

Prospective bidders willing to participate in this tender can down load the bid documents with visiting the website: https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in

Sd/-
Principal
& Tender Inviting Authority
GHMCh Bengaluru

DIPR/CP/SSC/2325/2023-24

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to notify to the general public that, my client **Mr. NAGESH GOWDA .C**, M/s VARSHINI ENTERPRISES, Rept., by Proprietor Office at #116, Shop No.1, Jakkanahalli Circle, Padavapura, Mandya, Karnataka-571807, Mob. No.8296688118 and he is intending to purchase Schedule Property (hereinafter referred) has enter into registered Agreement Sell, dated 21.11.2023 at Byatarayanapura SRO executed from its present owner Mr. SATHANANDAM .M, M/s PREETHA ENGINEERING WORKS, Rept., by Proprietor who earlier had purchased the Schedule Property in registered Sale Deed dated 04.05.2005 executed by previous owner M/s Karnataka State Small Industries Development Corporation Ltd., registered at Yelahanka, Bengaluru.

If any person/s claiming any right, title or interest of any nature in or any lien, charge or enforceable right in relation to said Schedule property and/or any objections of any nature to the transaction should lodge such claim and/or objections in writing to the undersigned address together with supporting documents within **15 (Fifteen) days** hereof, failing which it will be presumed that no valid claims or objections subsist and our client would proceed to complete the sale transaction with the aforesaid owner subject to compliance with other statutory and legal formalities.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

The Shed Property / Plot / Site No.B-26, BBMP Municipal Khatha No.2869/B-26 Yelahanka industrial Area, situated at Yelahanka Industrial Area, BBMP Ward No.3-Attur, Yelahanka, Bengaluru shed land Measuring 542.84 Sq.meters site area comprising of an Industrial Factory shed standing thereon with RCC roofed constructed area measuring 247.27 Square meters and land Property is bounded as follows :

East by	: Shed No.B-25,
West by	: Conservancy,
North by	: Road, and
South by	: Road,

Mr. RUDRASWAMY .G.M, Advocate, #27, Akshay Complex, Nagappa Street, Palace Guttahalli, Malleshwaram, Bengaluru - 560003. Mobile No.: 9986833635

ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ರಾಜ್ಯ ರಸ್ತೆ ಸಾರಿಗೆ ನಿಗಮ

ಮಂಗಳೂರು ವಿಭಾಗ : ಮಂಗಳೂರು.

ಸಂ:ಕರಾಸ:ಮಂವಿ:ಸಂ:ವಾ:2070:2022–23 ದಿನಾಂಕ:25.11.2023

ಇ–ಟೆಂಡರ್/ಸಂಧಾನ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ ಸಂ:05/2023–24
(ಜಾಹೀರಾತು ಹೋರ್ಡಿಂಗ್ಸ್/ಗ್ಲೋಸೈನ್ ಬೋರ್ಡ್)
ಇ–ಟೆಂಡರ್/ವೈಯಕ್ತಿಕ ಸಂಧಾನ ಮೂಲಕ ಮಾತ್ರ)

ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ರಾಜ್ಯ ರಸ್ತೆ ಸಾರಿಗೆ ನಿಗಮದ ಮಂಗಳೂರು ವಿಭಾಗದ ವ್ಯಾಪ್ತಿಯ ಬಸ್ಸು ನಿಲ್ದಾಣ / ಘಟಕಗಳಲ್ಲಿ / ವಿಭಾಗೀಯ ಕಾರ್ಯಾಗಾರದಲ್ಲಿ ಹೊಸದಾಗಿ / ಖಾಲಿಯಿರುವ ಸ್ಥಳಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಜಾಹೀರಾತು ಹೋರ್ಡಿಂಗ್ಸ್ ಮತ್ತು ಗ್ಲೋಸೈನ್ ಬೋರ್ಡ್, ಸ್ವಾಗತ ಕಮಾನು ಅಳವಡಿಸಿ ಜಾಹೀರಾತು ಪ್ರದರ್ಶಿಸಲು ಪ್ಯಾಕೇಜ್‌ವಾರು ಮಾದರಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಐದು (05) ವರ್ಷದ ಅವಧಿಗೆ ಪರವಾನಿಗೆದಾರರನ್ನು ಆಯ್ಕೆ ಮಾಡಲು ಇ–ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಮೂಲಕ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಅರ್ಜಿಗಳನ್ನು ಹಾಗೂ ವೈಯಕ್ತಿಕ ಸಂಧಾನ ಆಹ್ವಾನಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಇ–ಟೆಂಡರ್ ದಸ್ತಾವೇಜುಗಳನ್ನು ಇ–ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ವೆಬ್‌ಸೈಟ್ **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** ನಿಂದ ಡೌನ್‌ಲೋಡ್ ಮಾಡಿಕೊಳ್ಳಬಹುದು. ಇ–ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ಭಾಗವಹಿಸುವವರು ಇ–ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ಸೂಚಿಸಿರುವ ನಿಗದಿತ ದಾಖಲಾತಿಗಳೊಂದಿಗೆ ಆನ್‌ಲೈನ್ ಅರ್ಜಿ ಸಲ್ಲಿಕೆಯ ಕೊನೆಯ ದಿನಾಂಕ : **18.12.2023 ರಂದು ಸಮಯ : 16:00 ಗಂಟೆಯವರೆಗೆ** ಸಲ್ಲಿಸುವುದು. ಇ–ಟೆಂಡರ್ ತಾಂತ್ರಿಕ ಬಿಡ್ಡು ತೆರೆಯುವ ದಿನಾಂಕ: **21.12.2023 ರಂದು ಸಮಯ ಬೆಳಿಗ್ಗೆ 10.30 ಗಂಟೆಗೆ** ಮತ್ತು ಆರ್ಥಿಕ ಬಿಡ್ಡು ತೆರೆಯುವ ಸಮಯ **11.00 ಗಂಟೆಗೆ** (ಯಾವುದೇ ತಾಂತ್ರಿಕ ದೋಷವಿಲ್ಲದಿದ್ದಲ್ಲಿ).

ಸಂಧಾನಕ್ಕೆ ನಿಗದಿಪಡಿಸಿರುವ ಮಳಿಗೆಗಳಿಗೆ ಭಾಗವಹಿಸುವ ಆಸಕ್ತರು ನಿಗದಿತ ಅರ್ಜಿ ಶುಲ್ಕ ಮತ್ತು ಅನ್ವಯಿಸುವ ಜಿಎಸ್‌ಟಿ (ರಾಷ್ಟ್ರೀಕೃತ ಬ್ಯಾಂಕಿನಿಂದ ವಿಭಾಗೀಯ ನಿಯಂತ್ರಣಾಧಿಕಾರಿಯವರ ಪದನಾಮಕ್ಕೆ ಪಡೆದು) ಡಿ.ಡಿ ಮೂಲಕ ಪಾವತಿಸಿ ಅರ್ಜಿಯನ್ನು ಹಾಗೂ ಷರತ್ತು ನಿಬಂಧನೆಗಳನ್ನು ಕಛೇರಿ ವೇಳೆಯಲ್ಲಿ **ದಿನಾಂಕ: 20.12.2023 ರಂದು ಸಮಯ 15:00 ಗಂಟೆಯವರೆಗೆ** ಪಡೆದು **ದಿನಾಂಕ: 21.12.2023 ರಂದು ಸಮಯ 12:00 ಗಂಟೆಗೆ** ನಿಗದಿಪಡಿಸಿರುವ ವೈಯಕ್ತಿಕ ಸಂಧಾನದಲ್ಲಿ ಭಾಗವಹಿಸಬಹುದಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ.

ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ವಿವರಗಳಿಗಾಗಿ ವಿಭಾಗ ಕಛೇರಿ ಕ.ರಾ.ರ.ಸಾ.ನಿಗಮ, ಮಂಗಳೂರು ವಿಭಾಗ, ಬಿಜ್ಜೈ, ಮಂಗಳೂರು–575004 ಇಲ್ಲಿ ಕಛೇರಿ ಅವಧಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಸಂಪರ್ಕಿಸಲು ಕೋರಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಸಂಪರ್ಕಿಸುವ ದೂರವಾಣಿ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ:ವಿಭಾಗೀಯ ಸಂಚಾರ ಅಧಿಕಾರಿ–7760990702 & ಸಹಾಯಕ ಸಂಚಾರ ವ್ಯವಸ್ಥಾಪಕರು:7760990711 ಸಂಪರ್ಕಿಸುವುದು.

ಸಹಿ/–
ಹಿರಿಯ ವಿಭಾಗೀಯ ನಿಯಂತ್ರಣಾಧಿಕಾರಿ,
ಕ.ರಾ.ರ.ಸಾ.ನಿಗಮ : ಮಂಗಳೂರು.

ವಾಸಾಸಂಇ/ವಾಪ್ರ/ಜೆಎ/2317/2023–24

Government of Karnataka

BIDAR INSTITUTE OF MEDICAL SCIENCES, BIDAR.

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No: BRIMS/Tender/Skill/01/2023-24/call-2 Date: 27.11.2023

NOTIFICATION FOR SHORT TERM TENDER FOR SUPPLY AND COMMISSIONING OF SKILL LAB EQUIPMENTS AND ACCESSORIES AT BRIMS BIDAR FOR THE YEAR 2023-24.

Bidar institute of Medical Science Bidar invites tender from eligible bidders for the supply of SKILL LAB EQUIPMENTS AND ACCESSORIES at Bidar Institute of Medical Sciences Bidar, interested tenderers should view, download and apply through e-procurement portal http://eproc.karnataka.gov.in only for further information about tender is available in our website and can be viewed at our website www.brimsbidar.in & http://bimsbidar.karnataka.gov.in.

1) TENDER NOTIFICATION No. DME/2023-24/IND0308/Call-2 BRIMS/Tender/ Skill /01/2023-24. 2) Last date and time for tender quarries / clarifications : Date: 30-11-2023 at 2:30 PM. 3) Last Date and time for receipt of tenders : Date: 04-12-2023 at 5:30 PM. 4) Date & Time for Opening of technical Bids : Date: 06-12-2023 at 11:00AM. 5) Date & Time of Opening of financial bids : Dated 07-12-2023 at 11:30 AM. 6) Tender Amount : Rs. 97.00 Lakhs. 7) E.M.D. : Rs. 242500/-. 8) Contact for detail information : Director Bidar Institute of medical Sciences Bidar.

Note: Further information about tender please contact Director BRIMS Bidar office, and any further changes in tender will be published in e-procurement website only.

Sd/- Director
Bidar Institute of Medical Science, Bidar.

DIPR/Bidar/149/KSMC&A/2023-24

PUBLIC NOTICE

ICICI Bank

Branch Office: ICICI Bank Ltd. 4/10, Mythree Tower, Bommanhalli Hosur Main Road Bangalore- 560068

The following borrower/s have defaulted in the repayment of principal and interest of the loans facility obtained by them from the Bank and the loans have been classified as Non-Performing Assets (NPA). A notice was issued to them under Section 13 (2) of Securitisation and Re-construction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act-2002 on their last known addresses, however it was not served and hence they are hereby notified by way of this public notice.

Sr. No.	Name of the Borrower/ Co-Borrower/ Guarantor/ (Loan Account Number) & Address	Property Address of Secured Asset / Asset to be Enforced	Date of Notice Sent/ Outstanding as on Date of Notice	NPA Date
1.	Dhananjay Singh/ Pooja Singh (LBALD00005892759) & 112B/2A//1, Bhola Ka Pura, Uttar Pradesh Allahabad - 211001\	Flat No. C3 /301, (LIG-Type 4), 3rd Floor, In Swati Apartment, C.G City, Sultanpur Road, Chak Gajaria, Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh - 226016	08/11/2023 Rs. 24,98,039/-	03-08-2023
2.	Dhananjay Singh/ Pooja Singh (LBALD00005895656) & 112B/2A//1, Bhola Ka Pura, Uttar Pradesh Allahabad - 211001	Flat No. C3 /301, (LIG-Type 4), 3rd Floor, In Swati Apartment, C.G City, Sultanpur Road, Chak Gajaria, Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh- 226016	08/11/2023 Rs. 7,74,29/-	03-08-2023

The steps are being taken for substituted service of notice. The above borrower/s and/or their guarantors (as applicable) are advised to make the payments of outstanding within period of 60 days from the date of publication of this notice else further steps will be taken as per the provisions of Securitisation and Re-construction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002.

Date : November 29, 2023
Place : Bangalore

Authorized Officer
ICICI Bank Limited

UNION BANK OF INDIA

ASSET RECOVERY BRANCH, BENGALURU NORTH

 # 1/1, First Floor, "Jeevan Sampige ", 2nd Main, Sampige Road, Malleshwaram, Bengaluru-560 003, E–mail: arb.bengalurunorth@unionbankofindia.bank

NOTICE TO THE BORROWER INFORMING ABOUT SALE (30 DAYS NOTICE) RULE 6 (2) / 8 (6) OF SECURITY INTEREST (ENFORCEMENT) RULES 2002

1) M/s. M C Duramix Concrete No.806, 5th A Cross,1st Block, Kalyan Nagar, HRBR Layout, Banglore-560043. **Alternate Address :** Sy.No.70, Next to R K Reddy Mix, Kattamnallur Village, Bidarahalli Hobli, Banglore East-560049. **Guarantors : 2a. Mr. Mathew Mathai Abraham** S/o Mathai Abraham, **2b. Mr. Tom Mathew** S/o Mathew Mathai Abraham, **2c. Mr. Jim Mathew** S/o Mathew Mathai Abraham **All are at :** No.14, INFANT VILLA, 4th Cross, HRBR Layout, 2nd block, Kammanahalli, Banglore-560043. **Also At :** No.108, 4th Cross, OMBR Layout, Banglore-560043.

Sale of property belonging to **Mr. Mathew Mathai Abraham (in the borrowal account of M/S M C Duramix Concrete)** for realization of amount due to Bank under the SECURITIZATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT, 2002

Notice Date: **07.11.2023** issued to you Rule 6(2) / 8(6) of The Securitization & Reconstruction of Financial Assets & Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 by Asset Recovery branch/me, the Authorised Officer, was sent to you calling upon to repay the dues in your loan account/s with us at your last known address could not be served.

Therefore contents of the said Notice are being Published in this News Paper.

Union Bank of India, ARB, Bengaluru North, the secured creditor, caused a demand notice dated **26.07.2023** under Section 13(2) of the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002, calling upon you to pay the dues within the time stipulated therein. Since you failed to comply the said notice within the period stipulated, the Authorised Officer, has taken possession of the immovable secured assets under Section 13(4) of the Act read with Rule 8 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on **25.10.2023.**

Even after taking possession of the secured asset, you have not paid the amount due to bank. As such, it has become necessary to sell the below mentioned property by holding public e-auction after 30 days from the date of receipt of this notice through online mode. The date and time of e-auction along with the Reserve Price of the property and the details of the service provider, in which the e-auction to be conducted, shall be informed to you separately. Therefore, if you pay the amount due to the bank along with subsequent interest, costs, charges and expenses incurred by bank before the date of publication of sale notice, no further action shall be taken for sale of the property and you can redeem your property as stipulated in sec. 13 (8) of the SARFAESI Act.

SCHEDULE OF PROPERTY: Property No.1: All that piece and parcel of land with Residential building bearing new Number House list No.2072, in katha No.3216, Kacharakanahalli, Gramathana Village, Kasaba Hobli, Banglore North Taluk measuring **North :** 40 feet, **South :** 40 feet, **East :** 71 feet, **West :** 74 feet, total admeasuring 2900 Sq.ft and **bounded on the : East by :** Private Property, **West by :** Private Property, **North by :** 60 feet road, **South by :** Private Property of C T Thomas and I K Domen.

Property no.2 : All that piece and parcel of land with Residential building bearing(Eastern portion) of House list No.2115, in Khaneshmari No.32,33&34/21/1, Kacharakanahalli village, Kasaba Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk measuring: **North :** 40 feet, **South :** 40 feet, **East :** 68.50 feet, **West :** 71 feet, total admeasuring 2792 Sq.ft and **bounded on the : East :** portion retained by the vendor, **West :** private property purchased by Mr.Mathew M A, **North :** Road, **South :** Private Property.

Amalgamated Property : All that piece and parcel of amalgamated property bearing Municipal No.14, bethal street, kamanahalli, BBMP ward No.89, kachranahalli, gramathana village, Kasaba Hobli, Banglore measuring 5692 Sq.ft and **bounded by Eastby :** Private Property, **West by :** Private Property, **North by :** Road, **South by :** Private Property.

Date : 07.11.2023
Place : Bangalore

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Union Bank of India
Asset Recovery Branch, Bengaluru North.

AXIS BANK

Plot No. 41, Seshadri Road, Anand Rao Circle, Bangalore-560009

DEMAND NOTICE

A notice is hereby given that the following borrowers have defaulted in the repayment of principal and interest of credit facilities obtained by them from the bank and said facilities have turned in to Non-performing Assets. The notices were issued to them under section 13 (2) of Securitisation and Re-construction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act. 2002 on their last known addresses, however the same have returned un-served and as such they are hereby informed by way of public notice about the same.

Sl. No.	Name & Address of the Borrower	Property Address on Which Loan Availed	Notice Date	Bal. O/S (Claimed) in Rs.
1	**1) Mr. Santoshkumar S M** (Deceased) Represented By Mr. Shantappa Muchalambe, 226/5, 2nd Floor, Venkateshwara, Nilaya, 2nd Main Road, 1st Block, Ganesh Park, Nagarabhavi 2nd Stage, Bangalore 560073 **Represented By 2) Mrs. Sulochana** W/o Shantapp Muchalambe, 226/5, 2nd Floor, Venkateshwara, Nilaya, 2nd Main Road, 1st Block, Ganesh Park, Nagarabhavi 2nd Stage, Bangalore 560073 **(Borrower/Applicant) 3) Mrs. Sujata** W/o Santoshkumar S M, 226/5, 2nd Floor, Venkateshwara, Nilaya, 2nd Main Road, 1st Block, Ganesh Park, Nagarabhavi 2nd Stage, Bangalore 560073 **Also At: Mrs. Sujata** W/o Santoshkumar S M, No 51, Galaxy Chethana Apartment, 2nd Floor, Sanjeevini Nagar, Bangalore 560072 **Also At: Mrs. Sujata** W/o Santoshkumar S M Partner, Surya E Commerce, No 779, 4th Floor, 4th Cross, 11th Block, Nagarabhavi, Bangalore 560072 **(Co Applicant/Guarantor)**	All that piece and parcel of the Land Flat No B 106 1st Floor B Block Century Indus Sy No 62 BBMP Khata No 3289 3664 8 62 Pattenagere Village 560098 together with all the buildings and structures thereon, fixtures, fittings and all plant and machinery attached to the earth or permanently fastened to anything attached to the earth both present and future measuring 986 sq ft & 319 Undivided Share and Bounded as follows:East By: Land In Sy No 8, West By:Lic Layout, North By: Road, South By: Private Property **For any clarification please contact Mr. Sudarshan 9620703099**	**02.11.2023 NPA Date 08.08.2023**	**Loan No. PHR000904854235 Power Home BRE Total Amount Rs 46,96,237 /- due as on 10.08.2023**
2	**1) Mr. Jipil Poonattil** S/o Premraj Poonattil. No 25, Al Twar 2 Dubai, PO Box 2626 **Also At: Mr. Jipil Poonattil** S/o Premraj Poonattil, No 15 2nd Cross, Annaiah Reddy, Layout, Dodda Banaswadi, Bangalore 560043 **Also At: Mr. Jipil Poonattil** S/o Premraj Poonattil, Senior Executive, Danzas AEI, Emirates LLC, PO Box 2626, Dubai, UAE **(Borrower/Applicant) 2) Mrs. Jayashree Jipil** W/o Jipil No 25, Al Twar 2 Dubai, PO Box 2626, **Also At Mrs. Jayashree Jipil** W/o Jipil, No 15 2nd Cross, Annaiah Reddy, Layout, Dodda Banaswadi, Bangalore 560043 **3) Mr. Kalaivani Raghavan** S/o Shanmugam. No 15 2nd Cross, Annaiah Reddy, Layout, Dodda Banaswadi, Bangalore 560043 **(Co Applicant/Guarantor)**	All that piece and parcel of the Sy No 25/3 Flat No 001 Ground Floor Green view Residency M M Reddy Road Mariyanna Palya H A Form post Measuring 1445 sq ft Bangalore and Bounded as follows East By: Martins Property, West By: Mariyappas Property, North By: Sandhiyas Property, South By: Road **For any clarification please contact Mr. Thrimoorthy 9036773553**	**10.11.2023 NPA Date 03.11.2023**	**Loan No. PHR000900245002 Power Home Total Rs 22,30,914/- as on 10.11.2023**

The steps are being taken for substituted service of notice. The above borrowers and/ or the guarantors (where ever applicable) are advised to make the payments of outstanding dues as mentioned above along with future interest and applicable charges within 60 days from the date of the publication of this notice failing which further steps will be taken after the expiry of 60 days of the date of this notice as per the provision of Securitisation and Re-construction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act. 2002. Please note that under Section 13(13) of the said Act, no Borrower shall, after Receipt of Notice referred to in Sub-section (2), transfer by way of sale, lease or otherwise any of his secured assets referred to in the notice, without prior written consent of the secured creditor.

The Borrower's attention is invited to the provisions of sub-section (8) of sections 13 of the Act. The borrowers may redeem the secured assets by paying the dues of the secured creditor together with all costs, charges and expenses incurred at any time before the date of publication of notice for public auction or inviting quotations or tender from public or private treaty for transfer by way of lease, assignment or sale of the secured assets.

Place : Bangalore
Date : 28.11.2023

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Axis Bank Ltd.

इंडियन बैंक Indian Bank — CHETPUT BRANCH

इलाहाबाद ALLAHABAD

812, Periyar EVR High Road, Chetput, Chennai - 600 010.
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APPENDIX IV-A [See Proviso to rule 8(6)]

SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s) and Guarantor(s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the **symbolic** possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of Indian Bank, Chetput Branch, Secured Creditor, will be sold on **"As is where is", "As is what is"** and **"Whatever there is"** on **30.12.2023,** for recovery of **Rs.12,49,74,000/- (Rupees Twelve crores forty nine lakhs and seventy four thousand only) (as on 24.11.2023)** with further interest, costs, other charges and expenses thereon from 25.11.2023, due to the Indian Bank, Chetput Branch, Secured Creditor from :

NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE BORROWER / GUARANTOR (1) M/s. Sri Nandhi Agro Food, (Borrower), Represented by its Partners : Mr. S. Kamal, Mr. V R Pradeep & Ms. K B Lavanyaa, Registered Office : No.7 & 8, Amudha Illam, Vivekanandha Nagar, Ranga Garden, Kolathur, Chennai - 600 099, **Also at (Factory/ Plant) :** S. No.17-2B, 17-2A, Karepakam Village, Varadaiahpalem Mandalam, Chittor District. **(2) Mr. S. Kamal, (Partner/Guarantor),** S/o Mr. Selvamani, No.7 & 8, Amudha Illam, Vivekanandha Nagar, Ranga Garden, Kolathur, Chennai - 600 099. **(3) Mr. V R Pradeep, (Partner/Guarantor/Mortgagor),** S/o Mr. V. Ramesh Krishna, No.B-43, Karthikeyan Salai, Periyar Nagar, Chennai - 600 082, **(4) Ms. K B Lavanyaa, (Partner/Guarantor/ Mortgagor),** W/o Mr. K S Badrinath, No.10, Tenth Main Road, Third Block, Jayanagar, Bangalore South, Karnataka - 560 011.

SHORT DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY The specific details of the property intended to be brought to sale through e-auction mode are enumerated below :

Property 1 - Mortgaged assets belongs to M/s. Sri Nandhi Agro Food : Item No.I : EM over factory / industrial land and building comprised in S. Nos.17-2A of Karepakkam Village, Varadaiahpalem Mandal, Chittoor District with land an extent of Ac. 2.00 Cents belonging to Kamireddy Suresh Reddy, S/o Subramanyam Reddy situated within the Sathyavedu Sub Registration, Registration District of Chittoor District. **Item No.II :** EM over vacant land with an extent of Ac. 1.55 Cents or 0.626 Hectares of land in Sy. No.17-2B of Karepakkam village, Varadaiahpalem Mandal, Chittoor District, Andhra Pradesh owned by Sri. Kapuluru Subramanyam Reddy, S/o Late Chinni Krishna Reddy the Sathyavedu Sub Registration, Registration District of Chittoor District. **Prior Encumbrances on property : Nil. PROPERTY ID No. : IDIB7123244868A**

RESERVE PRICE : Rs.446.16 Lakhs	Bid increment : Rs.10,000/-	EMD : Rs.44.61 Lakhs

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Union Bank of India

ASSET RECOVERY BRANCH

2/3, Raja Building, N.R Road, Bengaluru -560 002. E-mail : ubin0555991@unionbankofindia.bank

Contact No: 8369255990, 080-29570555

APPENDIX-IV-A

[See Proviso to Rule 8(6) of Security Enforcement Rules, 2002]

Notice of 15 days for sale of immovable secured assets under Rule 8 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

E-auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under The Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002, read with the provision of Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002, Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s) mentioned below that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the **Possession** of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of **Union Bank of India, Asset Recovery Branch, Bengaluru** concerned branches. Secured Creditor will be sold on **" As is where is", " As is what is " and " whatever there is"** basis, by Public E-Auction on **15.12.2023, 11:00 AM to 4:00 PM** for recovery of dues as mentioned below together with future interest and legal other expenses due to the bank/Secured Creditor from respective borrowers. The Reserve Price for Property, the Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) and Description of Property etc., are given below.

Sl. No.	Name and Address of the Borrower/Mortgagor/ Guarantor	Description of the Property	Amount Due	Reserve Price	EMD Amount
1	**(1) Mr. Azeez Khan,** S/o Late Gaiban Khan, No.:4, 3rd Cross, 5th Main, Rahamathnagar, R.T Nagar, Bangalore-560032 **(2) Mrs. Shabeen Taj,** W/o Mr. Azeez Khan, No.:4, 3rd Cross, 5th Main, Rahamathnagar, R.T Nagar, Bangalore-560032 **(3) Mrs. Shahista Khanam (Guarantor),** Residing at No.26, Opp. ESI Quarters, 1st Block, R.T Nagar, Bangalore-560032	All that part and parcel of Residential Property bearing Corporation No.11/A, PID No.:33-85-11/A, (Site No.:17 formed in Sy No.:21/2, Matadahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk) situated at 3rd Cross, 5th Main, Rahamath Nagar, Ward No.97(33), Bengaluru-560 032 measuring East to West : 30'-0" Feet and North to South : 40'-0" Feet and in total measuring 1200 Square Feet and Bounded on : North by: Others Property, South by: Others Property, East by: Others Property, West by: Road.	**Rs. 54,39,937.80 (Rupees Fifty- Four Lakhs Thirty-Nine Thousand Nine Hundred Thirty-Seven and Eighty Paisa Only) as on 31/10/2023**	**Rs. 56,70,000/- (Rupees Fifty-Six Lakhs and Seventy Thousand Only)**	**Rs. 5,67,000/- (Rupees Five Lakhs Sixty-Seven Thousand only)**
2	**(1) M/s Globe Tec,** No. 1/3, 1st Stage, 4th Cross, Peenya Industries Estate, Bangalore-560058. **(2) Mr. Ajay Khurana,** Partner of Globe Tec, No. 1/3, 1st Stage, 4th Cross, Peenya Industries Estate, Bangalore-560058. **(3) Mrs. Meena Khurana,** Partner of Globe Tec, No. 1/3, 1st Stage, 4th Cross, Peenya Industries Estate, Bangalore-560058.	Flat Bearing Number No. 63, 6th Floor, Palace Orchard Apartment at BBMP PID No. 99-22-22/50, Municipal No. 22/50, Property No. 51,52,53, 54, situated at 9th Main, RMV Extension, Aramanenagar, Bangalore-560094, admeasuring 1575 Sq.Ft, Undivided share 582 Sq.ft, owned by Ajay Khurana and Mrs. Meena Khurana, Plot Boundaries (as per actuals): East by : 6th Cross , West by : 7th Cross, North by : 9th Cross Road, South by : Private Property, Flat Boundaries (as per actual):, East by : Entrance Lobby , West by : Open Space/B Block, North by : Flat No.64 , South by : Open Space.	**Rs. 4,28,04,089.60 (Rupees Four Crores Twenty Eight Lakhs Four Thousand Eighty Nine and Sixty Paisa only) AS ON 31/10/2023**	**Rs. 1,53,09,000/- (Rupees One Crore Fifty Three Lakhs Nine Thousand only)**	**Rs. 15,30,900/- (Rupees Fifteen Lakhs Thirty Thousand Nine Hundred only)**
3	**(1) M/s J.K Steel & Cement, Rep: by its Prop. Parthasarathi,** No.148, 2nd Cross, Hegganahalli Ramaiah Badawane, Peenya 2nd Stage, Bangalore-560058 **(2) Mrs. Lalithamma** W/o Mr.G.Devarajulu No.148, 2nd Cross, Hegganahalli Ramaiah Badawane, Peenya 2nd Stage, Bangalore-560058 **(3) Mr. D.Parthasarathi,** as he is dead, His legal heirs, No.148, 2nd Cross, Hegganahalli Ramaiah Badawane, Peenya 2nd Stage, Bangalore-560058.	All that piece and parcel of property bearing site No.14, Khatha No.58, ASMT No.117/2, Situated at Laggere Village, Yeshwanthapura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Now comes under the limits of BBMP 3rd Cross, Ramaiah Layout, Rajagopal Nagar, Peenya 2nd Stage, Bangalore-560058. Measuring East to west 40 feet and North to South 30 feet, Totally measuring 1200 sq.ft together with building and bounded on : East by: Byrahellappa Propety, West by: 25 feet Road, North by : Property No.13, South by: Property No.43.	**Rs 1,06,71,018.57 (Rupees One Crore Six Lakhs Seventy-One Thousand Eighteen and Fifty Seven Paisa only) as on 31/102023**	**Rs. 86,37,000/- (Rupees Eighty-Six Lakhs Thirty-Seven Thousand only)**	**Rs. 8,63,700/- (Rupees Eight Lakhs Sixty Three Thousand Seven Hundred only)**
4	**(1) Julie Kataki Pathak,** W/o Late Uttam Kumar Pathak, R/a 14/1-1, Lakshmi Nilaya, 1st Cross, Grape Garden, Viveknagar PO, Bangalore-560047. **(2) Uttam Kumar Pathak** (Since Deceased represented by his legal heirs Julie Pathak, Pranit Pathak and Mrigesh Pathak) **(3) Pranit Pathak, Represented by natural guardian and mother Mrs. Julie Pathak,** R/a 14/1-1, Lakshmi Nilaya, 1st Cross, Grape Garden, Viveknagar PO, Bangalore-560047. **(4) Mrigesh Pathak,** Represented by natural guardian and mother Mrs. Julie Pathak , R/a 14/1-1, Lakshmi Nilaya, 1st Cross, Grape Garden, Viveknagar PO, Bangalore-560047.	**SCHEDULE 'A' PROPERTY : ITEM NO.1 :** All that piece and parcel of a Portion of Property bearing No.42, New No. 10 Katha No.6/ 1, now under the limits of Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike Old Ward No.68, New Ward No.148 situated at situated at 3rd Cross, Anjaneya Extension, Eijipura, Bangalore measuring East to West 36 feet and North to South 77 feet and in total 2772 Sq. feet and bounded as follows: East By: Remaining Portion of same Property bearing, New No.10 belongs to Smt.Shalini, West By: Remaining Portion of same Property bearing New No.10 belongs to Lakshman. North By: Parthasarathy Bhutter's Property, South By: Passage. **ITEM NO.2 :** All that piece and parcel of a Portion of Property bearing No.42, New No. 10, Katha No.6/ 1, now under the limits of Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike Old Ward No.68, New Ward No.148 situated at situated at 3rd Cross, Anjaneya Extension, Eijipura, Bangalore measuring East to West 54 feet and North to South 63.6 feet and in total 3434 Sq. feet and bounded. as follows: East By: Property belongs to Smt. C. Munilakshmi and Shivaji West by: Remaining Portion of same property bearing new No 10 belongs to L Devaraj and Smt Parvathi, North By: Parthasarathy Bhutter's Property, South By: Passage. **ITEM NO.3 :** All that piece and parcel of a Portion of Property bearing No.42, New No. 10" Katha No.6/ 1, now under the limits of Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike Old Ward No.68, New Ward No.148 situated at situated at 3rd Cross, Anjaneya Extension, Eijipura, Bangalore measuring East to West Northern side 63 feet, Southern side 51.4 feet and North to South Eastern side 77 feet and Western side 57 feet in total 3832 Sq. feet and bounded as follows : East By: Remaining Portion of same Property bearing, New No.10 belongs to L.Devaraj & Smt. Parvathi, West By: Road, North By: Parthasarathy Bhutter's Property, South By: Road. Items No.1, 2, and 3 in Schedule Property are adjoining and abutting to each other and measuring in total 10,038 Sq. feet. **SCHEDULE 'B' PROPERTY (mortgaged property) :** All that piece parcel of the Flat No. F-9 in the FIRST FLOOR having super built up area of 1050 sq. feet with an undivided 214 sq. feet of share, right, title and interest in the land One hall, Kitchen, Two Bedrooms, Two Toilets cum bathrooms with one car parking in the Stilt Floor being the part of the apartment building known as 'PRABHAVATHI CLASSIC" constructed/ under construction on the Schedule 'A' Property with RCC framed structure, Concrete Block Masonry, Main door teak frame and Steam Breach Veneered flush Shutter and room doors sal wood with water proof flush shutters, Powder coated aluminum windows with glass & safety grills, Ceramic flooring etc., and bounded as follows: East By: Flat No.F-1, West By: Corridor, North By: Private Property, South By: Corridor.	**Rs. 63,69,217.03 (Rupees Sixty Three Lakhs Sixty Nine Thousand Two Hundred Seventeen and Three Paisa) as on 31/10/2023**	**Rs. 51,76,500/- (Rupees Fifty One Lakhs Seventy Six Thousand Five Hundred only)**	**Rs. 5,17,650/- (Rupees Five Lakhs Seventeen Thousand Six Hundred Fifty only)**
5	**(1) Sri Kuppanna S Rathod,** S/o Sita Ram, Flat No.001, Ground Floor, "Ashirvad" House List No. 260/102/52, 16th Cross Street, Neeladrinagar, Doddathouguru Bengaluru - 560 100 **Also at :** Sri Kuppanna S Rathod S/o Sita Ram, Sasargaon Tanda Post Rumangud-585324 Chincholi Tq, Gulbarga Dist. **Also at;** Sri Kuppanna S Rathod, S/o Sita Ram, No.9, 3rd Main, Jnanajyothi Nagar, Ullal Main Road, Bangalore-560056, Karnataka **(2) Smt. Archana** W/o Kuppanna S Rathod, Flat No.001, Ground Floor, "Ashirvad", House List No. 260/102/52, 16th Cross Street, Neeladrinagar, Doddathouguru, Bengaluru - 560100 **Also at :** Smt. Archanda, W/o Kuppanna S Rathod, E/247, Rajapura (Jagat) Rajapur, Gulbarga -585105 Also at; Smt. Archana, W/o Kuppanna S Rathod, No.9, 3rd Main, nanajyothi Nagar, Ullal Main Road,, Bangalore-560056, Karnataka.	All that piece and parcel of Site bearing H L No. 260/102/52, Katha No. 5704/102/52, situated at Doddathoguru Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, measuring East to West 60 Feet and North to South 80 Feet admeasuring 4800 Square feet, and bounded on the old Sy.No. 102 (New Sy.No. 102/2), East by : Remaining portion of the same site, retained by Thavamani Gangadhar Pillai, West by : 80 feet road, North by : property no. 53, South by : Road. **Schedule B :** 246 Sq.Ft of undivided share, right title and interest out of A schedule property and the residential apartment bearing no. 001 in Ground Floor, 2BHK having super built up area of 1115 Sq.ft and with one covered car parking space in the stilt floor, including proportionate share in common areas such as lobbies , passages, lifts, staircase and contained in the apartment building known as " AASHIRVAD" constructed out of solid concrete block and main door having Teak Wood and other doors frames with Sal wood frames inside flush doors and aluminum windows and having vitrified flooring having separate electricity and common water and sanitization including all common rights etc., East by : Open to sky, West by : Corridor and Flat No. 004, North by : Open to sky, South by : Flat No. 002.	**Rs. 41,68,908.36 (Rupees Forty One Lakhs Sixty Eight Thousand Nine Hundred Eight and Thirty Six Paisa only) as on 31/10/2023**	**Rs. 32,07,000/- (Rupees Thirty Two Lakhs Seven Thousand only)**	**Rs. 3,20,700/- (Rupees Three Lakhs Twenty Thousand Seven Hundred only)**
6	**(1) P Ashokan,** No.28/2, 2nd Main Road, Hosakerehalli Layout, Banashankari 3rd Stage, Bangalore-560085 **(2) Lakshmi S,** No.28/2, 2nd Main Road, Hosakerehalli Layout, Banashankari 3rd Stage, Bangalore - 560085	All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Site No. 2384/1, formed in Sy.No. 8/16, Vide Conversion Order No. BDS/ALN/SR(N) 92/2003-04 Dated 25/10/2003, issued by the Special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, situated at Gidadhakonenahalli Village, Yeshwanthpura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore Layout formed by The Karnataka State "D" Group Employees Central Association, measuring East to West 20feet , North to South 40 Feet in all measuring 800 Sq.ft, together with all right appurtenances Whatsoever whether underneath or above the surface and bounded as follows: East by: Site no. 2384, West by: Site no. 2385, North by: Site no. 2369, South by: Road.	**Rs. 36,87,170.33 (Rupees Thirty-Six Lakhs Eighty Seven Thousand One Hundred Seventy and Thirty Three Paisa Only) as on 31/10/2023**	**Rs. 27,54,000/- (Rupees Twenty-Seven Lakhs Fifty-Four Thousand Only)**	**Rs.2,75,400/- (Rupees Two Lakhs Seventy-Five Thousand Four Hundred Only)**
7	**(1) M/S S L S Tourist, Proprietor Shri Madan Kumar R,** No. 2/2, Church Road, Madhav Rao Circle, Bangalore-560004. **Also at : M/s S L S Tourist,** 3rd Floor, Pamadi Chambers, DVG Road, Basavanagudi, Bangalore -560004. **(2) Shri Madan Kumar R (Proprietor S L S Tourist),** No. 158, D Block, 1st Floor Srinivas Road, II Block, Thyagrajanagar, Bangalore-560085 **(3) Mr R Ramesh Kumar (Guarantor)** No. 158, First Floor, Srinivasa Road, II Block, Thyagarajanagar, Bangalore-560085.	All that piece and parcel of the property bearing BBMP No. 9/2, (PID No. 47-84-9/2), Situated at Durgachalam Mudaliar Street, Kalasi palyam,, Bangalore (Corporation Ward H No. 47), measuring East to West: 14.00 ft and North to South 53.09 ft totally 754.60 sq.ft standing in the name of Mr. R Ramesh Kumar bounded by: East By: Surendra Babu's property, West by:Srinivasalu's property , North by :Road(DM street); South by ; Private property	**Rs. 5,55,57,824.73 (Rupees Five crore Fifty Five Lakhs Fifty seven thousand Eight hundred twenty Four and Seventy Three Paisa only) as on 31/10/2023**	**Rs. 73,44,000/- (Rupees Seventy Three Lakhs Forty Four Thousand only)**	**Rs.7,34,400/- (Rupees Seven Lakhs Thirty Four Thousand Four Hundred Only)**
8	**(1) M/s Shree Ram & Sons, Managing Partner, Name: Mr. Bhagawat Sharad Kumar,** Office at 101, Peenya 3rd Phase, Near TVS Cross, Beside BPCL Petrol Station, Bangalore 560058 **(2) M/s Shree Ram & Sons,** No.193 B, Peenya 3rd Phase, KAIDB Industrial Area, Bangalore-560058 **(3) Shri Bhagawat Sharad Kumar** S/o Someshwar Rao, House No.1, Municipal No.12/1, 3rd Cross, Poojari Layout, Geddalahalli RMV Extn, Stage II, II Block, Bangalore 560092 **Also at:** Vaishnavi Splendor 3rd Cross, Poojhari Layout RMV Extn, 2nd Stage 2nd Block Gedealahalli, Bangalore- 560092 **(4) Sri V Ramesh,** S/o P S Vijaya Kumar, 1000/2, I Floor, 1st Cross, 3rd Main, KN Extension, Yeshwantpura, Bangalore 560022. Also At: 461/1, Bharath Nivas, 2nd 'D' Main MES Road, Near Balaji Nursing Home, Bangalore - 560054, **(5) Sri V Raghu** S/o V SreeRama Murthy, 101, Peenya 3rd Phase, Near TVS Cross, Beside BPCL Petrol Station, Bangalore 560058 Also At: No 26, T Sreeram and Sons, RMV 2nd Stage CP Complex, Devinagar, Bangalore-560094 **(6) Sri Bhagwat Someshwar Rao,** S/o Purnaya M, 1000/2, I Floor, 1st Cross, 3rd Main, KN Extension, Yeshwantpura, Bangalore 560022.	All that price and parcel of the Site No. No. A0 313 FROMED IN Survey No.172 converted vide order No. BDIS/ALN/SR/19:1990-91dated 13.12.1990 of Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore Rural District and bearing new Khanesumari Old Katha No. 227,228,/313, New Khatha no. 228/313, E-Katha No. 150300200401202072, admeasuring 5920 sqaure feet or 550.18 mtrs formed in the private layout known as JADE GARDEN ANNEXE, III Phase comprised in the above said SCHEDULE PROPERTY situated in Sadahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Devanahalli Taluk Bangalore Rural Ds District and bounded on: East By: Internal Road and measuring that side 20 meters, West By: Internal Road and measuring that side 20 meters, North by: Plot No. 312 and measuring on that side 30 meters, South By: Plot No. 314 and measuring on that side 30 meters.	**Rs. 17,21,89,624.10 (Rupees Seventeen Crore Twenty One Lakhs Eighty Nine Thousand Six Hundred Twenty Four and Ten Paisa only) as on 31/10/2023.**	**Rs. 1,35,88,000/- (Rupees One Crore Thirty Five Lakhs Eighty Eight thousand only)**	**Rs. 13,58,800/- (Rupees Thirteen Lakhs Fifty Eight thousand Eight hundred only)**
		Schedule of Property: Portion of A Schedule property measuring to an extent of 43366.67 sq.ft, or (4030.36 sq. meters) part of the village panchayath having Khata No. 97/28A, (Site bearing No. 10) of Doddakarenahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Nelamamangala taluk, Bangalore Rural District, and bounded as follows: East By: Site no. 9, West By: Park North By: Parking and Road, South By: Park.		**Rs. 1,86,15,000/- (Rupees One Crore eighty Six Lakhs and fifteen thousand only)**	**Rs. 18,61,500/- (Rupees Eighteen Lakhs Sixty One thousand and Five hundred only)**

Sl. No.	Name and Address of the Borrower/Mortgagor/ Guarantor	Description of the Property	Amount Due
9	**(1) M/s Srivari Homes Builders & Developers and others,** No. 460/10, Behind RNS Motors, Mariyappa Layout, Garebhavipalaya, Bangalore-560068 **(2) Shri P Lavesh Kumar, Prop. M/s Srivari Homes Builders & Developers,** No. 460/10, Behind RNS Motors, Mariyappa Layout, Garebhavipalaya, Bangalore-560068 **(3) M/s Sri Sai Homes builders & Developers** No.402, Pruthvi Residency, Kalena Agarhara, Bannerghatta Road, Bangalore-560076 **(4) Shri Tharapathi Naidu, Prop. M/s Sri Sai Homes builders & Developers,** No.402, Pruthvi Residency, Kalena Agarhara, Bannerghatta Road, Bangalore-560076.	All that part and parcel of 9 Flat Nos. 101,102,103 in the First floor,201,202,203 in the Second Floor, 301,302,303 in the Third Floor of Residential Apartment "NEELADRI RESIDENCY" located in the 4th Cross, Naidu Layout, Shantipura, Chikkanagamangala Village, Sarjapura Hobli, Anekal Taluk, constructed in Site bearing E Khatha No.- 150200100500620030 in respect of Site No.2497/342 and E Khatha No. – 150200100500620031 in respect of Site No.2497/343, alongwith 6780 sq.ft. Super Built up area which is allotted to the share of the builder "Sri Sai Homes Builders & Developers" constructed in Composite Schedule Property along with rights in common areas, amenities, car parking and propionate undivided share in the land detailed as here in below:	**Rs.1,56,89,580.21 (Rupees One Crore Fifty Six Lakhs Eighty Nine Thousand Five Hundred Eighty and Twenty One Paisa only) as on 31/7/2023**

Sl. No.	Flat No.	Floor	SBA Sq.Ft.	UDS Sq.Ft.	Boundaries				Reserve Price	EMD
					East by	West by	North by	South by		
1	101	First	830	176	Passage	Private Property	Private Property	Flat No 102	Rs. 17,46,000	Rs. 1,74,600/-
2	102	First	600	128	Passage	Private Property	Flat No 101	Lift and Staircase	Rs. 12,62,000	Rs. 1,26,200/-
3	103	First	830	176	Passage	Private Property	Lift and Staircase	Private Property	Rs. 17,46,000	Rs. 1,74,600/-
4	201	Second	830	176	Passage	Private Property	Private Property	Flat no 202	Rs. 17,46,000	Rs. 1,74,600/-
5	202	Second	600	128	Passage	Private Property	Flat no 201	Lift and Staircase	Rs. 12,62,000	Rs. 1,26,200/-
6	203	Second	830	176	Passage	Private Property	Lift and Staircase	Private Property	Rs. 17,46,000	Rs. 1,74,600/-
7	301	Third	830	176	Passage	Private Property	Private Property	Flat no 302	Rs. 17,46,000	Rs. 1,74,600-
8	302	Third	600	128	Passage	Private Property	Flat no 301	Lift and Staircase	Rs. 12,62,000	Rs. 1,26,200/-
9	303	Third	830	176	Passage	Private Property	Lift and Staircase	Private Property	Rs. 17,46,000	Rs. 1,74,600/-

10.	**M/s Pavan Exim (1) Mr. Pavan Ramaswamy** S/o B Ramaswamy, **(2)Mr. S.K. Ranganathan** S/o (Late) S. Krishnamurthy, **(3) Mr. Ramaswamy Belarangappa** S/o (Late) Belarangappa, All are residing at, Flat No. 302, 2nd Floor, R.V. Apartments, No. 31, #99, Pipeline Road, 11th Cross, Malleshwaram, Bangalore-560003.	All that piece and parcel of land to the extent of 3 acres and 18 guntas and building there on situated at S.No. 137, Khata No. 210, railway Golahalli Village, Nelamangala Gram Panchayat, Bangalore Rural Dist. PIN: 562123 belonging to Mr. Ramaswamy Belarangappa and bounded on East by: Land belonging to M/s Sri Sarovar Developers, West by: Road and Gramatana Village, North by: Private Land of Sri Siddarayappa, South by: Property of Smt. Puttamma.	**Rs. 83,58,284.64 (Rupees Eighty Three Lakhs Fifty Eight Thousand Two Hundred Eighty Four and Sixty Four Paisa only) as on 31/10/2023.**	**Rs. 11,17,70,000/- (Rupees Eleven Crores Seventeen Lakhs Seventy Thousands only)**	**Rs. 1,11,77,000/- (Rupees One Crore Eleven Lakhs Seventy Seven Thousands only)**
11.	**(1) Mrs. Shital Tugave,** #181 (House No. 3), Dr. Rajkumar Road, Agara Village & Post, Sarjapura, Bangalore -560102. **Also at : Mrs. Shital Tugave,** 1/43, Tupusultan Chowk, Aurad, Bidar-585326. **(2) Mr. Dileep Kumar,** #181 (House No. 3) Dr. Rajkumar Road, Agara Village & Post, Sarjapura, Bangalore -560102. **Also at : Mr. Dileep Kumar,** 1/43, Tupusultan Chowk, Aurad, Bidar – 585 326.	**Schedule A : Item No.1 :** All that piece and parcel of the vacant site bearing no.1, formed by central excise house building Co-Operative Society Ltd. In its Layout in Kammanahalli Village Layout, Begur Hobli, Bannerughatta Road, Bengaluru South Taluk, now within the limits of BBMP and bearing BBMP Katha No. 245/456/1, BBMP Ward No.192, measuring East to West:80 Feet and North to South (50.6 +48)/2 Feet and in all measuring 3940 Sq.Ft and bounded on : East by : Road, West by : Private Property, North by : Site No. 2, South by : Private Property. **Item No. 2 :** All that piece and parcel of the vacant site bearing no.2, formed out of converted lands bearing Sy.No. 126/1,126/2,126/3,126/3-1,127,128/2,3 and 4 and 131/3 in all measuring 11 acres 24 guntas in the residential layout as Central Excise House Building Co-Operative Society Ltd., measuring East to West : 80Feet and North to South :53 Feet and in all measuring 4240 Sq.Ft and bearing BBMP Katha No. 15/457/2, BBMP Ward No.192, situated at Kammanahalli Village, Bannerghatta Road, Begur Hobli, Bengaluru South Taluk and bounded on : East by : Road, West by : Private Property, North by : Site No. 3, South by : Site no. 1. And now Katha of the item No.2 of the property is clubbed with the item No.1 of the property by BBMP and bearing amalgamated single Khatha No. 15/457/2/456/1 to both the properties. **Schedule " B " Property : (Mortgaged Property) :** Registered equitable mortgage of 3.02 % of undivided share right, title and interest out of the larger property equilent of 247 Sq.Ft and 2 bed room apartment bearing no. 205 in the Second floor and having super builtup area of 958 Sq.ft and consisting of one hall, kitchen, Two bed rooms, one car parking in the stilt floor in the apartment building known as " SHREYAS ROYAL ARCADE) constructed out of the larger property. East by : Corridor & Flat No. 202, West by : Open to sky, North by : Flat No. 206, South by : Flat No. 204.	**Rs. 4302060.85 (Rupees Forty Three Lakhs Two Thousand Sixty and Eighty Five Paisa only) as on 31.10.2023**	**Rs. 29,16,000/- (Rupees Twenty Nine Lakhs Sixteen Thousand Only)**	**Rs.2,91,600/- (Rupees Two Lakhs Ninety One Thousand Six Hundred only)**
12.	**(1) M/s Sri Vari Enterprises,** No. 22 & 26, 1st Main Road, 3rd Cross, Nayandahalli, Mysore Road, Bangalore-560039. **(2) Sri Radhakrishna Gopal, Proprietor of M/s Sri Vari Enterprises,** No. 22 & 26, 1st Main Road, 3rd Cross, Nayandahalli, Mysore Road, Bangalore-560039. **(3) Sri. Kempaiah** S/o Late Mariyachari, Residing at No. 222, Revanna Layout, Nayandahalli, Mysore Road, Bangalore -560 039.	**Schedule A :** All that piece and parcel of the immovable property bearing site no. 80 situated at Near Vinayaka Temple, Nayandahalli Village, Kengeri hobli, Bangalore South Taluk now comes under BBMP limits ward no. 39,measuring East to West 35 Feet , North to South 20 Feet together constructed building there on , property belongs to Sri. M Kempaiah and bounded as follows; East by : Munishami Property, West by : Chikkamuniyamma Property, North by : Ramaiah Property, South by : Road and Basappa and Revanna Property.	**Rs. 58,10,466.74 (Rupees Fifty Eight Lakhs Ten Thousand Four Hundred Sixty Six and Paisa Seventy Four Only) as on 31/10/2023**	**Rs. 20,61,000/- (Rupees Twenty Lakhs Sixty One Thousand Only)**	**Rs. 2,06,100/- (Rupees Two Lakhs Six Thousand One Hundred only)**
13.	**(1) Mr. Umesh Gowda R,** S/o Ramappa, No. 432, 6th Main, 4th Cross, Kengeri Satellite Township, Kengeri, Bangalore -560060. **(2) Mrs. Lakshmi Devi** W/o Umesh Gowda R, No. 432, 6th Main, 4th Cross, Kengeri Satellite Township, Kengeri, Bangalore -560060. **(3) M/s Sai Neha Constructions,** Registered office at, House No. 636,7th Main, 12th Cross , BTM Layout, Bangalore **(4) Mr. Neelam Shankar,** S/o Mogulaiah, Partner of M/s Sai Neha Constructions, No. 320, 7th Main, BTM 2nd Stage, Bangalore -560076. **(5) Mr. Ashok Kumar Dhulipalla,** S/o Kotiswamy Dhulipalla, Partner of M/s Sai Neha Constructions, Flat No B-304, 3rd Floor, Purva Heights, Bilekahalli, Bannerghatta Road, Bangalore - 560076.	**Schedule A property:** All that piece and parcel of residentially converted land vide conversion order BDS. ALN.SR(S) 229/2003-2004, dated 29-10-2003 by special deputy commissioner in Sy no 116/1, situated at Singasandra Village, Begur Hobli, Bengaluru South Taluk Measuring 1.01,227 Sq. ft bounded on the East By-Private Property, West By-Manipal County, North By- Road, South By- Private Property **Schedule B :** An undivided 315 Sq. Feet share in the land comprised in the Schedule A Property. **Schedule C :** All that piece and parcel of the Flat bearing No. B 305 in third Floor, in the residential apartment known as "MALIBU ENCLAVE" constructed on the Schedule "A Property, Consisting of living, dining and One Bedroom, having super built-Area of 788 Sq. feet equipped with flooring, sanitary, electrical wiring and other facilities and bounded on: East By-20 Feet Wide Drive way, West By : Corridor & Stair Case, North By : Duct & Lift, South by: Open to Sky.	**Rs. 42,10,063.08 (Rupees Forty Two Lakhs Ten Thousand Sixty Three and Eight Paisa only) as on 31/10/2023**	**Rs. 23,61,000/- (Rupees Twenty Three Lakhs Sixty One Thousand only)**	**Rs.2,36,100/- (Rupees Two Lakhs Thirty Six Thousand One Hundred only)**
14.	**(1) M/s Vijaya Shree Infra,** No: 12/9/4/2, 3rd Cross, Brindavana Layout, Vijinapura, Bangalore-560016. **(2) Mr. K M Gopi,** # 2150, 1St Cross, B M Kaval, HAL 3rd Stage, New Thippasandra Post, Bangalore- 560075. **(3) Mrs. G Radha Rani,** No. 2150, 1St Cross, B M Kaval, HAL 3rd stage, New Thippsandra Post, Bangalore -560075. **(4) Mrs. Puttamma M,** No. 2150, 1st Cross, B M Kaval, HAL 3rd Stage, New Thippasandra Post, Bangalore- 560075.	All that piece and parcel of undeveloped converted land in Sy no.109 (old Sy no.44) situated at Rayasandra Village, Kasaba Hobli,Devanahalli Taluk, Bangalore Rural district measuring 1 acre20 guntas belonging to Mr K M Gopi and Mrs G Radha Rani bounded by : East by: Government Road, West by: Land of Nagaraju of Devanahalli, North by: Land of Hanumanthappa, South by: Land of Muniyappa	**Rs. 12,78,46,136.20 (Rupees Twelve Crore Seventy-Eight Lakhs Forty-Six Thousand One Hundred Thirty Six and Paisa Twenty Only) as on 31/10/2023**	**Rs. 3,40,47,000/- (Rupees Three Crore Forty Lakhs Forty- Seven Thousand Only)**	**Rs. 34,07,700/- (Rupees Thirty Four Lakhs Seven Thousand Seven Hundred only)**
15.	**(1) M/s Vijaya Shree Infra,** No: 12/9/4/2, 3rd Cross, Brindavana Layout, Vijinapura, Bangalore-560016. **(2) Mr. K M Gopi,** # 2150, 1St Cross, B M Kaval, HAL 3rd Stage, New Thippasandra Post, Bangalore- 560075. **(3) Mrs. G Radha Rani,** No. 2150, 1St Cross, B M Kaval, HAL 3rd stage, New Thippsandra Post, Bangalore-560075. **(4) Mrs. Puttamma M,** No. 2150, 1st Cross, B M Kaval, HAL 3rd Stage, New Thippasandra Post, Bangalore- 560075.	All that piece and parcel of House list no.9/3 and 10/1, Katha no.10, Byappanahalli Notified area Assessment no.8 situated at Vijinapura Village alias Kothur Village, K R Puram Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk measuring East to west 59ft+ 70ft/2, North to South 70ft+53ft/2, in all admeasuring 3966.75 square feet belonging to Mrs Puttamma bounded by: North: Private property and measuring 53ft on that side, South: Road & measuring 70ft on that side, East: Remaining property of the vendors in the same Khatha number sold to smt.Jayamma and N Venkatesh,measuring 70ft on that side, West: property of M Krishna Reddy measuring 53ft on that side.	**Rs. 12,78,46,136.20 (Rupees Twelve Crore Seventy-Eight Lakhs Forty-Six Thousand One Hundred Thirty-Six and Paisa Twenty Only) as on 31/10/2023**	**Rs. 1,07,82,000/- (Rupees One Crore Seven Lakhs Eighty Two Thousand only)**	**Rs. 10,78,200/- (Rupees Ten Lakhs Seventy-Eight Thousand Two Hundred only)**
16.	**(1) Mr. Umashankar D,** S/o Mr. K M Doddanaaiah, No.7, 1st Main, Near Venkateshwara Temple, B Narayanapura, Dooravani Nagar, Bangalore-560016 **(2) Mrs.Krishanveni G,** W/o Mr. Umashankar D No.:7, 1st Main, Near Venkateshwara Temple, B Narayanapura, Dooravani Nagar, Bangalore-560016 **(3) Mrs. Pushapa D,** W/o Mr. Radhakrishna, # 97, 1st Main Road, Near Venkateshwara Temple, B Narayanapura, Dooravani Nagar, Bangalore-560 016.	All that piece and parcel of residential land and building bearing Property bearing Site no 7, Property No 96/1, Ward No.:55, Khata No 108, situated at B Narayanapura, Near Venkateshwara Temple, K R Puram Hobli, Bangalore South taluk now Bangalore East taluk Bangalore, Bangalore now comes under Jurisdiction of BBMP limits, earlier CMC limits of Mahadevpura, Measuring East to West 42 Ft 6 Inches & North to South 32 Ft 6 Inches in all totaling 1636 Sq Ft with building bounded on: East By: Property belong to Siddaiah, West By : Property belong to Narayanappa Reddy, North By : Rajkaluve & South By : Road. (Property belonging to Mr. D Umashankar).	**Rs. 60,83,013.90 (Rupees Sixty Lakhs Eighty-Three Thousand Thirteen and Paisa Ninety Only) as on 31/10/2023**	**Rs. 1,44,60,000/- (Rupees One Crores Forty Four Lakhs and Sixty-Thousand only)**	**Rs. 14,46,000/- (Rupees Fourteen Lakhs Forty-Six Thousand Only)**

The above said properties will be sold by "Online". Online E-Auction will be held through web portal/website **www.mstcecommerce.com** on the date and time mentioned above with unlimited extension of 10 minutes. The intending bidders / purchasers required to register through **https://www.mstcecommerce.com/auctionhome/ibapi/index.jsp** by using their mobile number and valid email:id. They are further required to upload KYC documents and Bank Details. The intended bidder may contact the **Branch Manager of Union Bank of India. Asset Recovery Branch, Bengaluru Contact No. 8369255990, 080-29570555** for inspection of property and also visit the above mentioned website for ascertaining the details of auction.

STATUTORY 15 DAYS SALE NOTICE UNDER Rule 8(6) Rule 9(1) OF STATUTORY INTEREST (ENFORCEMENT) RULES, 2002

This may also be treated as notice u/s 8(6) Rule 9(1) of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 to the Borrowers and Guarantors of the said loan about the holding of E-Auction Sale on the above mentioned date.

Place: Bengaluru
Date : 28.11.2023

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Union Bank of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA, DEPARTMENT OF SPACE - U.R. RAO SATELLITE CENTRE
CONSTRUCTION & MAINTENANCE GROUP,
HAL Airport Road, Bengaluru - 560 017.
(Phone: 080 25084177, 4184, 4156)

CORRIGENDUM II dated : 24.11.2023

Sl.No	Description	Details
1	Name of work	Supply and installation of Movable Acoustic Glass Partition with Glass Panel between MAC-1 and MAC-2, Second Floor, Main Building, Main Campus, URSC Bengaluru 560017.
2	E-Tender Notice No.	URSC/C&MG/10C/2023-24, dated: 16.11.2023
3	Estimated cost put to tender	₹ 43.45 Lakhs
4	Period during which the tender document can be downloaded.	Extended upto 10.30 hrs on 04.12.2023
5	Last date and time for receipt of tenders	Up to 14.30 hrs. on 05.12.2023
6	Due date and time of opening of tenders	After 14.30 hrs on 05.12.2023

Interested tenderers may please refer Detailed Notice Inviting E-Tender (NIET) for eligibility criteria and other details along with Hindi version in website: **www.isro.gov.in** and download the tender documents from **www.tenderwizard.com/ISRO**.

Sd/- Group Director (C&MG)

CHENNAI METRO RAIL LIMITED
(A Joint Venture of Govt. of India & Govt. of Tamil Nadu)
METROS, Anna Salai,
Nandanam, Chennai - 600 035

EOI Notice

File No. EOI No.1-CMRL/OPN:05/Metro Connect-01/2023 Dated 28-11-2023

Expression of Interest

EOI No.1-CMRL/OPN:05/Metro Connect-01/2023

CMRL invites Expression of Interest from reputed, experienced, financially sound, eligible applicants, who fulfill the qualification criteria as mentioned in the EOI through Online Open Competitive Bid (e-procurement CPP portal) under Single Stage Single Envelope for the EOI as detailed below:

"EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FOR PROVIDING FIRST & LAST MILE CONNECTIVITY (METRO CONNECT) SERVICE BY OPERATING ELECTRIC VEHICLES (PREFERABLE-5/8/14 SEATERS) FROM CMRL METRO STATIONS."

Please refer websites
1) **www.chennaimetrorail.org or**
2) **https://eprocure.gov.in/eprocure/app**
for further information.

Addl. General Manager (RSO)

DIPR/6426/TENDER/2023

MAHILA CO-OPERATIVE BANK LIMITED
No. 14, South End Road, Seshadripuram, Bangalore-560020

SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION

Date: 28.11.2023

The undersigned has invited quotations from eligible civil contractors to execute building civil repair works, repair of aluminum windows, providing RCC roof, repairs to plumbing and electrical works, tile cladding and total repainting of the four floor building located at above address.

Last date for receipt and submission of filled tender document: 13.12.2023

Opening of the tender document: 14.12.2023

Contractors who have full experience in repair works of the buildings are preferred.

Decision of the undersigned with regard to tender is final and binding.

Place: Bangalore **By the order of Board of Directors**
Sd/-
General Manager

Canara Bank
DEVANAHALLI BRANCH
Akshaya Bhavan BB Road
Bangalore Rural Dist, Phone 080-27683949,
Email-cb0474@canarabank.com

DEMAND NOTICE [SECTION 13(2)]

NOTICE TO BORROWER/ GUARANTOR/MORTGAGOR

Whereas, the Authorized Officer of the **Canara Bank, Devanahalli Branch,** Bengaluru under the Securitization And Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13 (2)of Chapter-3 of the Security Interest(Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued Demand Notice/s on below mentioned date, calling upon the following borrower/ s/ Guarantor/s to repay the dues within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

Name of the Borrower: 1. Mr. Inayathullah Sadaf 2, Apt UP 02 JBR Dubai United Arab Emirates, PAN No. AOFP16470M Mob No. +971554367129, **2. Mr. Inayathullah,** No. 37/1, Askeri House, Dongerpally, Bhatkal, Uttarakananda - 581 320, Mob : 9306766650, **3. Mr. Syed Mohsin Bafaque** S/o. Syed Mohsin, 37/1, Donger Palli Road, Magdoom Colony, Bhatkal, Uttara Kannada - 581 320, PAN No. AGZPB8561E AADHAR No. 615220625138, Mob : 7349359514, **4. Mr. Syed Mohsin Bafaque ,** No. 13, 2nd Floor, 5th Main Road, Opp. CSI Church, J. C. Nagar, Bangalore - 560 006, Mob : 7349359514. **5. Mrs. Mahajabeen Sayed Mohsin** C/o. Syed Mohsin Bafaque, No. 13, 2nd Floor, 5th Main Road, Opp. CSI Church, J. C. Nagar, Bangalore - 560 006, Mob : 9986957049.

Sl. No	Loan Number	Nature of Loan/ Limit	Date of Sanction	Amount
1	160000925984	HL to NRI	08.07.2022	Rs.93,00,000 /-
2.	160000907446	HL to NRI	30.06.2022	Rs.76,00,000/-
3.	160001013622	HL to NRI	18.08.2022	Rs.56,28,000/-

Total Liability as on date :**Rs. 2,22,26,415/-** (Rupees Two Crore Twenty Two lakhs twenty six thousand four hundred and fifteen Only) + interest together with further interest and incidental expenses and costs.

Details of Security Assets : Schedule A (1&2) : 1. All that piece and parcel of converted land bearing Sy. Nos. 136/3, 136/4 & 136/1 Old VP No. 8300/136/3, 8301/136/4, Project known as S2- Water Grove situated at Kammasandra Village, Attibele Hobli, Anekal taluk, Bangalore Rural Dist measuring 1 acre 11 guntas and is bounded on the (owned by S Rama reddy) East by : Land belonging to Pujarappa, West By: Land Belonging to Ramaswami (now belonging to M/s S Homes and Road), North By: Remaining extent of 6 guntas in Sy No: 136/3 belonging to S Rama Reddy and thereafter 20 feet Road., South By: Land belonging to Ramaiah.

2. All that piece and parcel of converted land bearing Sy. Nos. 136/1, CMC Khatha No: 5382/136/1 Project know as "S2-WATER GROVE" situated at Kammasandra Village, Attibele Hobli, Anekal taluk, Bangalore Dist measuring 10 guntas and is bounded on the, East by : Remaining portion in Sy No: 136 belonging to Sri Rama Reddy, West: By :Road, North : By Remaining portion in Sy No: 136/1 belonging to Sri Chandrashekar, South : By Remaining portion in Sy No: 136/1 belonging to Sri Lakshmi and Ramaswamy

Details of Mortgaged Flats (FF7, FF8 & FF 11):

1. All that piece and parcel of the flat bearing No: FF8 present CMC Khatha No: 10668/5382/8300/8301/136/1,3,4/C/4th fl/FF8, 4th Floor, "C" Block, "S2 HOMES-THE WATERGROVE" Apartment constructed on schedule "A" Property measuring 2106 sq ft of super built up area including private terrace of the apartment as per proportionate share in common ares such as passage, lobies, lifts, staircases and other areas of common use and also exclusive usage of with one covered car parking space at stilt floor including 511 sq.ft. of undivided share, right, title, and interest in the Schedule A property and flat bounded on the, East by: Open Space,West by: Corridor, North by: Flat No: FF-7, South by: Flat No: FF-9

Name of Title Holder : Inayathulla.

2. All that piece and parcel of the flat bearing No: FF7 present CMC Khatha No: 10667/5382/8300/8301/136/1,3,4/C/4th fl/FF-7, 4th Floor, "C" Block, "S2 HOMES-THE WATERGROVE" Apartment constructed on schedule "A" Property measuring 2106 sq ft of super built up area with one covered car parking space and the flat including 511 sq.ft. of undivided share, right, title, and interest in the Schedule A property and FLAT bounded on the, East by: Open Space,West by: Corridor, North by: Flat No: FF6, South by: Flat No: FF8.

Name of Title Holder : Inayathulla.

3. All that piece and parcel of the flat bearing No: FF11 present CMC Khatha No: 10674/5382/8300/8301/136/1,3,4/C/4th fl/FF-11, 4th Floor, "C" Block, "S2 HOMES-THE WATERGROVE" Apartment constructed on schedule "A" Property measuring 1950 sq ft of super built up area with one covered car parking space and the flat including 473 sq.ft. of undivided share, right, title, and interest in the Schedule A property and FLAT bounded on the, East by: Corridor & Open Space, West by: Open Space, North by: Flat No: FF12, South by: Flat No: FF10.

Name of Title Holder : Inayathulla.

Date of NPA: 12.11.2023 **Demand Notice Date:15.11.2023**

The above borrowers committed default of repayment of loans as above and the loans are duly secured by way of mortgage of property described as above and were classified as Non Performing Assets on various dates mentioned as above. The Bank issued Registered notice to all the above borrower/Guarantors under Section 13(2) of Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002, (SARFAESI Act) calling upon them to repay the outstanding amount. We now call upon to pay the above mentioned liability with further interest and cost accrued till date within 60 days from the date of this notice, failing which, Bank will be constrained to exercise its rights of enforcement of security interest as per Section 13(4) (a) to (b) of SARFAESI act 2002 against the secured assets given in the schedule above. The above borrower/s in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the above properties and restrained from dealing in term of Section 13 (13) of SARFAESI Act 2002 and any dealings with the properties will be subject to the charge of Canara Bank for the accounts mentioned above with further interest and cost, expenses thereon.

Place : Bangalore **Sd/- Authorised Officer**
Date : 15.11.2023 **Canara Bank**

Canara Bank
Doddaballapur Branch
Gandhinagar, Doddaballapur Tq ,
Bengaluru Rural - 561203,
Mob: 9483540664
E-mail:cb0664@canarabank.com

SALE NOTICE

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable property charged to the Secured Creditor, the **Constructive /Physical possession** of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of Doddaballapur Branch Bangalore of the Canara Bank, will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is", and " Whatever there is" without any recourse on **30.12.2023**, for recovery of **Rs.8,24,646.87** (Rupees Eight lakhs twenty four thousand six hundred forty six and paise eighty seven only) as on **24/11/2023** with further interest and expenses thereon due to the Doddballapur Branch of Canara Bank from Borrower **Mr. S. P. Nagesh.**

The reserve price will be Rs.**12,50,000.00** (Rupees Twelve Lakhs Fifty Thousands only) and the earnest money deposit will be **Rs.1,25,000/-** (Rupees One lakh Twenty Five Thousand Only). The Earnest Money Deposit shall be deposited on or before **28/12/2023** by 5.00 PM.

Details and full description of the property with known encumbrances, if any:

EMT of all the part and parcel of the Property No. 1526/1, CMC PID No: 13-4-544-78C, Municipal Assessment No:1344/1526/1/1526/1 situated at Venkataswamy Temple behind, Terinabeedi Road, 8th Division, Doddaballapur Town, Bengaluru rural Dist, measuring East to West 102 ft and North to South 12 ft Total measuring 1224 sq ft.

Boundaries:- East: Road and Survey no:69 Prasanna Venkataramana swamy property, **West :**Sy no: 68/1 Sri R C Srinivas, Sri B R Chandra shekaraiah property & PID No. 13-4-544-74, **North:** Site No: 5 Sri S P Krishnesha & Smt Vinutha Property & PID No: 13-4-544-78B, **South**:Veerabadrana Paly village in Sy no: 28. Sri M O Rajeshwari & Sri A L Nagalakshmi, Property & PID No:13-4-544-97.

Known encumbrances, if any : Not to the knowledge of the Bank. Detils and full description of movable property- NA

For detailed terms and conditions of the sale please refer the link "E-Auction" provided in Canara Bank's website (www.canarabank.com) or may contact Authorised Officer, Canara bank, Doddaballapur Branch, Doddaballapur Taluk, Bangalore Rural - 562 110 (Ph. No. 9052838528) during office hours on any working day.

Place : Doddaballapur Sd/-
Date : 24.11.2023 Authorised Officer
Canara Bank

JANA SMALL FINANCE BANK
(A scheduled commercial bank)

Registered Office: The Fairway, Ground & First Floor, Survey No.10/1, 11/2 & 12/2B, Off Domlur, Koramangla Inner Ring Road, Next to EGL Business Park, Challaghatta, Bangalore-560071.

DEMAND NOTICE UNDER SECTION 13(2) OF SARFAESI ACT, 2002.

Whereas you the below mentioned Borrower's, Co-Borrower's, Guarantor's and Mortgagors have availed loans from **Jana Small Finance Bank Limited,** by mortgaging your immovable properties. Consequent to default committed by you all, your loan account has been classified as **Non-performing Asset,** whereas **Jana Small Finance Bank Limited** being a secured creditor under the Act, and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13(2) of the said Act read with rule 2 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued **Demand notice** calling upon the Borrower's/ Co-Borrower's/ Guarantor's/ Mortgagors as mentioned in column No.2 to repay the amount mentioned in the notices with future interest thereon within **60 days** from the date of notice, but the notices could not be served on some of them for various reasons.

Sr. No.	Name of Borrower/ Co-Borrower/ Guarantor/ Mortgagor	Loan Account No. & Loan Amount	Details of the Security to be enforced	Date of NPA & Demand Notice date	Amount Due in Rs. / as on
1	1) Mr. Vishwanath C, Prop. M/s. Susheela Enterprises, 2) Mrs. Sushilamma C	Loan Account No. 31839440000180 Loan Amount: Rs.17,60,000/-	**Mortgaged Immovable Property:** All that piece and parcel of immovable property bearing portion of Site No.10, measuring East to West: 40 feet and North to South: 25 feet and portion of Site No.11, measuring East to West: 40 feet, North to South: 10 feet, in all measuring East to West: 40 feet, North to South: 35 feet, totally measuring 1400 sq.feet, which forms common boundary, formed out of Converted Sy.No.96, of Kaggalipura Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, converted for non-agricultural residential purposes as per the orders of the Deputy Commissioner, vide their orders No.BDS.ALN.SR(S): 528/2004-05, dated 21-12-2004 and **Bounded on the: East by:** Private Property, **West by:** Road, **North by:** Portion of Site No.10, **South by:** Remaining portion of Site No.11.	Date of NPA: 01-11-2023 Demand Notice Date: 27-11-2023	Rs.16,56,900.34 (Rupees Sixteen Lakh Fifty Six Thousand Nine Hundred and Thirty Four Paisa Only) due as on 22-11-2023
2	1) Mr. Nagaraju N, S/o. Narasaiah, 2) Mrs. Kempamma B, W/o. Nagaraju	Loan Account No. 47049610000191 Loan Amount: Rs.4,38,000/-	**Mortgaged Immovable Property:** All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Khaneshumari No.245/3/11, E-Property No.152900200600420317, measuring East to West 12.8016 meter and North to South 8.8392 meter, Situated at Picchanakere Village, Kottagalu Grama Panchayath, Kanakapura Block, Ramanagara District and **Bounded on: East by:** Road, **West by:** Own Property, **North by:** Property belongs to Rudrappa & **South by:** Property belongs to Bheemanna.	Date of NPA: 01-11-2023 Demand Notice Date: 27-11-2023	Rs.4,00,983.20 (Rupees Four Lakh Nine Hundred Eighty Three and Paisa Twenty Only) dues as on 22-11-2023
3	1) Mr. Ramahanumaiah S V, 2) Mrs. Poornima C, W/o. Ramahanumaiah S V, 3) Mr. Ramachandrappa	Loan Account No. 31879440000672 Loan Amount: Rs.5,00,000/-	**Mortgaged Immovable Property:** All that piece and parcel of the property bearing No.56, Khatha No.113 measuring East to West 35 feet and North to South 18 ½ feet situated at Karivobanahalli Village, Yeshwanthapura Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk, now BBMP Ward 40 and **Bounded on: East by:** Property belongs to Munikrishnappa, **West by:** Road, **North by:** Remaining portion of same property belongs to vendor, **South by:** Property belongs to Bylanjinappa.	Date of NPA: 01-11-2023 Demand Notice Date: 27-11-2023	Rs.4,45,293.72 (Rupees Four Lakh Forty Five Thousand Two Hundred Ninety Three and Paisa Seventy Two Only) dues as on 22-11-2023

Notice is therefore given to the Borrower/ Co-Borrower/ Guarantor & Mortgagor as mentioned in Column No.2, calling upon them to make payment of the aggregate amount as shown in column No.6, against all the respective Borrower/ Co-Borrower within **60 days** of Publication of this notice as the said amount is found payable in relation to the respective loan account as on the date shown in Column No. 6. It is made clear that if the aggregate amount together with future interest and other amounts which may become payable till the date of payment, is not paid, **Jana Small Finance Bank Limited** shall be constrained to take appropriate action for enforcement of security interest upon properties as described in Column No.4. Please note that this publication is made without prejudice to such rights and remedies as are available to **Jana Small Finance Bank Limited** against the Borrower's/ Co-Borrower's/ Guarantor's/ Mortgagors of the said financials under the law, you are further requested to note that as per section 13(13) of the said act, you are restrained/ prohibited from disposing of or dealing with the above security or transferring by way of sale, lease or otherwise of the secured asset without prior consent of Secured Creditor.

Date: 29.11.2023, Place: Bangalore & Bangalore Rural **Sd/- Authorised Officer, For Jana Small Finance Bank Limited**

GOVT. OF ODISHA, OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CONSTRUCTION ENGINEER RURAL WORKS CIRCLE: KEONJHAR
Tel. 06766-258301(0), email: se_nerwkjr@rediffmail.com

eProcurement Notice for Road Works under MMSY-TRIP

Identification No. Road Online NCB No. 401

O-1619 **No.4280 / Date: 22.11.2023**

1. Name of the work :- **Construction and Maintenance of roads under MMSY-TRIP for Financial Year 2023-24 in the District of Keonjhar**
2. No. of work :- 08(Eight) Nos.
3. Estimated Cost :- As per Annexure in NIT.
4. Class of Contractor (Eligible) :- As per Annexure in NIT.
5. Period of Completion :- As per Annexure in NIT.
6. Other details :-

Procurement Officer	Bid Identification No.	Availability of tender Online for bidding From	To	Last Date & Time of seeking Tender Clarification	Date &Time of Opening of Tender in O/o S.E.N.E., R.W. Circe, Keonjhar Technialal Bid	Fiancial Bid
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Chief Construction Engineer, Rural Works Circle, Keonjhar	Road Online NCB No. 401	Dt.30.11.23 at 11.00 A.M	Dt 14. 12.23 up to 5.00 P.M	Dt. 13. 12.23 up to 5.00 P.M	Dt 15. 12.23 at 11.00 A.M	Will be intimated later

• Further details can be seen from the website: www.tendersorissa.gov.in

Sd/- Chief Construction Engineer, R.W. Circle, Keonjhar OIPR-25177/11/0039/2324

GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CONSTRUCTION ENGINEER, CENTRAL RURAL WORKS CIRCLE, BHUBANESWAR
No.6226/ Date.24.11.2023

O-1644 **"e" Procurement Notice for Road Works**

1.	Name of the Work	:	Road Works
2.	Total No. of works	:	18 No. of Road Works under MMSY-TRIP for the year 2023-24
3.	Estimated Cost of the work	:	Varies Rs.422.25 lakhs to Rs.1097.85 lakhs
4.	Class of Contractor		
	a) Estimated cost more than Rs.20.00 lakhs up to Rs.3.00 Crores.	:	B Class (of Odisha PWD) or relevant class of other licensing authorities
	b) Estimated cost more than Rs. 1.00 crore up to Rs.20.00 crores.		A Class (of Odisha PWD) or relevant class of other licensing authorities
	c) Estimated cost more than Rs.6.00 Crores up to Rs.50.00 Crores		Special Class (of Odisha PWD) or relevant class of other licensing authorities
5.	Period of completion	:	**As mentioned in Column-7 of Annexure**
6.	Offered rates by bidder	:	The offered rate by the contractor shall be excluding GST.
7.	Other details		

Procurement Officer	Bid Identfication No.	Availability of Tender on-line for bidding From	To	Date & Time of opening of tender Technical Bid	Financial Bid
1	2	3	4	5	6
Chief Construction Engineer, Central Rural Works Circle, Bhubaneswar	Tender-Online-C.C.50 of 2023	06.12.2023 at 11.00 AM	26.12.2023 Up to 5.00 PM	27.12.2023 at 11.00 AM	To be intimated later on

Further details can be seen from the web site www.tendersodisha.gov.in

Sd/- Chief Construction Engineer
Central Rural Works Circle, Bhubaneswar **OIPR-25082/11/0040/2324**

ODISHA RENEWABLE ENERGY DEVELOPMENT AGENCY
S-3/59, MANCHESWAR INDUSTRIAL ESTATE, BHUBANESWAR- 751010
Phone: (0674) 2588260, 2586398, 2580554, Fax: 2586368
Website: www.oredaorissa.com, Email: ceoreda@oredaorissa.com

e-Tender Call Notice

Notice No: 3674 Date: 23/11/2023

CAD-3058: Tender is invited through e-tender portal from eligible bidders regarding Request for Proposal (RFP) for the selection of Solar Power Generator(SPG) for the development of Solar PVP projects for government buildings under RESCO model in Odisha with Net MeteringNirtual Net Metering (VNM).

The Schedule of Events is given below:

Sl. No.	Events	Schedule
1.	Date of publication of RFP on E-procurement Website and OREDA Website	23.11.2023
2.	Due date and time for receipt of pre-bid queries on the RFP	29.11.2023, Time: 5:30 PM
3.	Date and time for the pre-bid meeting through online mode only. Meeting invite link. https://meet.google.com/pjx-nnod-oxf	30.11.2023, Time: 12:30 PM
4.	Due date and time for submission of online copies of Technical Bid and Price Bid.	22.12.2023 Time: 5:30 PM
5.	Due date and time for submission of hard copies of Technical Bid for select Bid Forms only.	27.12.2023, Time: 5:30 PM
6.	Due date and time for the opening of online Technical Bid, except Price Bid.	28.12.2023, Time: 4:00 PM
7.	Due date and time for the opening of online Price Bid, applicable only for the Bidders whose online Technical Bids shall be responsive.	To be intimated later

The RFP providing requisite details about the bidding process shall be made available on the E-procurement Website (http://www.tenderwizard.com/OREDA) on or before the due date mentioned above. The RFP will also be made available on the OREDA Website (http://www.oredaodisha.com) for viewing purposes only. The Bidders may write to OREDA at the email id-ceoreda@oredaorissa.com, for any additional information, if needed.

Note: OREDA reserves all the right to annul the bidding process and invite fresh Bids without liability or obligation for such invitation and without assigning any reasons.

OIPR-04065/11/0021/2324 **Sd/- Chief Executive**

GOVERNMENT OF TAMIL NADU
WATER RESOURCES DEPARTMENT
PENNAIYAR BASIN CIRCLE, TIRUVANNAMALAI – 606 603.

FORM OF CONTRACT : LUMPSUM - ITEM RATE CONTRACT /TENDER NOTICE (TWO COVER SYSTEM)
SHORT TERM e-TENDER NOTICE NO.: 05/PBC/T.V.Malai/ 2023–2024/F.03/DO/DATED: 28.11.2023

For and on behalf of the Governor of Tamilnadu, **e-tenders** are invited by the Special Chief Engineer, (i/c) WRD., Pennaiyar Basin Circle, Tiruvannamalai – 606 603, **under "Two Cover System"** through online for the below mentioned work from the eligible tenderers as prescribed in the website.

S. No.	Name of work	Approximate Value put to Tender (including GST @ 18%) Rs.in Lakhs	Earnest Money Deposit (In Rs.)	Date of availability of Tender in Website	Last date and time for submission of e-Tender (as per Server Clock)	Date and time of e-Tender opening (as per Server Clock)
1	Renovation of Sornavur Anicut across Thenpennaiyar River in Somavur Village in Villupuram Taluk and District.	3,654.61	18,50,000/-	30.11.2023 (onwards)	13.12.2023 upto 12.00 Hours (IST)	13.12.2023 at 14.30 Hours (IST)

The tender document and other details will be available in the website **https://tntenders.gov.in** to enable the tenderers to view and download the e-tender document thro' online at free of cost and the submission of tender shall be done only through online.

Special Chief Engineer, (i/c) WRD., Pennaiyar Basin Circle, Tiruvannamalai – 3.

DIPR/6411/TENDER/2023

GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CONSTRUCTION ENGINEER RURAL WORKS CIRCLE: SUNDARGARH
AT/PO-SANKARA, SUNDARGARH-770020, E-mail address- serw_sundargarh@yahoo.com
No. Tender Online - RWCCESNG - 44 of 2023-24 Letter No. 3511 / Dtd. 23.11.2023

O-1633 **e-Procurement NOTICE**

1. Type of the Work: Roads (DMF)
2. Class of Contractor: As specified in the column-6 of the Annexure
3. Time of Completion: As specified in the column-5 of the Annexure
4. Detail Projects: As per Annexure attached
5. Estimated Cost : As specified in the column-4 of the Annexure
6. Other details:

Procurement Officer	Bid Identification No.	Availability of Tender on-line for bidding From	To	Last Date & Time of Seeking Tender Clarification	Date & Time of opening of tender Technical Bid	Financial Bid
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Chief Construction Engineer, Rural Works Circle, Sundargarh	RWCCESNG-44 of 2023-24	29.11.2023 11:00 AM	12.12.2023 5:00 PM	11.12.2023 5:00 PM	13.12.2023 11:00 AM	Will be intimated separately

Further details can be seen from the website **www.tendersodisha.gov.in**

Sd/- Chief Construction Engineer, Rural Works Circle, Sundargarh **OIPR- 25133/11/0059/2324**

GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CONSTRUCTION ENGINEER RURAL WORKS CIRCLE BOLANGIR

O-1624 **e Procurement Notice**

1.	Name of work	:	**Construction of Bridge-cum-Weir to the Existing/ On-going Bridges During the year 2023-24**
2.	No. of work	:	08(Eight) bridge works.
3.	Time for completion varies from	:	6 (Six) to 9 (Nine) calendar months
4.	Approximate estimated cost varies from	:	**Rs. 119.97 lakhs to Rs. 245.56 lakhs**
5.	Mode of Submission of tender	:	Tender should be submitted online in www.tendersodisha.gov.in
6.	**Other details are as follow**		

Procurement Officer	Bid Identification No.	Availability of Tender on line for bidding From	To	Last date and time of seeking tender clarification	Date & time of opening of tender Technical Bid	Financial Bid
Chief Construction Engineer, R.W.Circle, Bolangir	BLGR-Online-35/2022-23	01.12.2023 at 11.00 A.M.	15.12.2023 upto 5.00 P.M.	14.12.2023 upto 5.00 P.M.	16.12. 2023 at 11.00 A.M.	The date will be intimated to the technically qualified bidders later on

• Further details can be seen from the website **www.tendersodisha.gov.in**
• Any Corrigendum/Addendum will be displayed in the above e tender website only.

Sd/- Chief Construction Engineer, R.W.Circle, Bolangir **OIPR- 25118/11/0060/2324**

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OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CONSTRUCTION ENGINEER RURAL WORKS CIRCLE, BERHAMPUR
At:- Ambapua, Po:- Engineering School, Near Income Tax office, Berhampur-760011
(E-Mail:- serwbpr2004@yahoo.com, Tel/Fax:- 0680-2404287)

NATIONAL COMPETITIVE BIDDING THROUGH e-Procurement

O-1646 **Bid Identification No. Online Tender /81-2023-24/BPR**

Identification No	Name of work	No. of Works	Approx. Estimated Cost (In lakh)	Class of Contractor	Period of Completion
Online Tender / 81-2023-24/BPR	Bridge Works (BSY) for 2023-24	04 Nos	From Rs. 321.20 lakhs to Rs. 672.01 Lakhs	"A" Class & "Special" Class as applicable	11 (Eleven) & 18 (Eighteen) Calendar Month as provided

Procurement Officer	Bid Identification No	Availability of tender online for bidding From	To
Chief Construction Engineer, R.W.Circle, Berhampur	Online Tender/81-2023-24/BPR	04.12.2023 at 10.00 A.M.	18.12.2023 upto 5.30 P.M.

(i) EMD / Bid Security, Cost of Bid document is to be transferred through Online as per the procedure mentioned in the DTCN.
(ii) Non-submission of the information/documents through online by the bidder as per the items mentioned in the eligible criteria of the DTCN will also liable for rejection of his tender.

Further details & Corrigendum if any can be seen from the website: - www.tendersodisha.gov.in

Sd/- Chief Construction Engineer, R.W.Circle, Berhampur **OIPR- 25071/11/0089/2324**

PUBLIC NOTICE

My client intends to Purchase the below mentioned Schedule Property from, **Sri G.BALAIAH** son of Masalaiah who claimed to be the absolute owner in possession of Schedule property. If any persons has any claim, right, title or interest in the Schedule Property or any objection to the proposed sale, the same may be communicated to the undersigned along with supporting documents within 15 days from this day, to the undersigned. If no such claims are received within the above said period my client will proceed to purchase the schedule property treating as there is no claim whatsoever to the Schedule Property.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the Agricultural dry Lands measuring 1 Acre 20 guntas in SY No.59/2 situated at Singrahalli Village, Kundana Hobli, Devanahalli Taluk, Bengaluru Rural Dist and bounded on

East by : Land belongs to Lalithamma w/o Nanjappa and Others;
West by : Land in SY No.59 belongs to Varadarajan;
North by : Land belongs to Venkateshappa and Earanna;
South by : Road and Land belongs to Sonappa;

SATHYANARAYANA .G, Advocate, NO.84, 8th Main 9th Cross, Sadashivanagar, Bengaluru-560 080 Ph: 9343080908

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Registered Office: ICICI Bank Limited, ICICI Bank Tower, Near Chakli Circle, Old Padra Road, Vadodara- 390 007.
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TENDER CUM E-AUCTION FOR SALE OF SECURED ASSET UNDER SARFAESI ACT, 2002

[See proviso to Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules]
Public Notice for Sale of Immovable Property/Secured Asset

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower, Mortgagor(s) and the Guarantor(s) that the property more fully described hereunder ("Secured Asset") mortgaged to ICICI Bank Ltd and IDFC First Bank Ltd on pari passu basis **("Secured Creditors"),** the possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of ICICI Bank Limited will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is", "Whatever there is" and "Without any recourse" basis, as per the brief particulars given hereunder;

Borrower/ Mortgagor/ Guarantors	Secured Creditor	Date of Notice U/s 13(2)	Amount Demanded
Borrower: M S Marketing Enterprises Pvt Ltd, No.19/1, Ground Floor, KCD Complex, 3rd Cross, CSI Compound Unity Building, Bengaluru- 560 027. Also having address at #136/137, Madanayakanahalli, Lakshmipura Main Road Dasanapura Hobli, Bengaluru- 562 123 Mortgagor: Mrs. Monica Mehra Guarantors: Mr. Anil Mehra; Mrs. Monica Mehra; Mr. Shravan Mehra; Mr. Subhan Sharief; Mrs. Yasmeen Sharief	ICICI Bank Ltd	September 03, 2021	Rs. 13,06,19,658.34
	IDFC First Bank Ltd	June 21, 2021	Rs. 19,75,06,278.00

* Outstanding as per 13(2) demand notice, payable together with further interest charges and cost thereon.

Details of Secured Asset	Reserve Price / Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) / Incremental Bid	Date & Time of E-Auction
All that piece and parcel of property bearing Site Nos. 21 and 22, Municipal Assessment Katha No. 325/21 and 326/22, situated at Maruthinagar, II Division, Yelahanka Municipal Limit, Bangalore North Taluk, and measuring East to West: 60 feet and North to South: 40 feet; bounded by: East: Property No. 23 West: Property No. 20 North: 30 Feet Road South: Private Property Together with all building and structures thereon, fixtures, fittings and all plant and machinery attached to the earth.	Reserve Price: Rs. 1,77,00,000/- EMD: Rs. 17,70,000/- Incremental Bid: In multiples of Rs. 1,00,000/-	December 15, 2023 from 3:00 P.M to 4:00 P.M (IST) with unlimited extension of five minutes each

1. The Secured Asset shall be sold by Tender cum e-Auction through ICICI Bank's approved service provider M/s. NexXen Solutions Private Limited (Disposal Hub) (https://DisposalHub.com) under the supervision of ICICI Bank.
2. The intending bidder shall pay the Earnest Money Deposit ("EMD") before 3:00 P.M of December 14, 2023 by way of crossed Demand Draft/Pay Order from a Scheduled Bank/Nationalised Bank drawn in favour of "ICICI Bank Limited, A/c M S Marketing Enterprises Pvt Ltd" payable at par in all branches, or through NEFT/RTGS remitted in the designated account of ICICI Bank, i.e A/c No: 0104SL0COLLN, IFSC Code: ICIC0000104, Account Name: ICICI Bank-Inland Collection Liabilities, Loan A/c: M S Marketing Enterprises Pvt Ltd.
3. Bids in the prescribed format given in the Tender Document shall be submitted to "The Authorised Officer, ICICI Bank Ltd, No.4/10, Mytree Centre, Hosur Road, Bommanahalli, Bengaluru - 560 068" either by electronic mode or physical mode, along with documentary evidence, KYC documents (attested copy of PAN card, proof in support of identity and address) as attachment to the bid form along with proof of payment of EMD amount by way of RTGS/ NEFT/Demand Draft/ Pay Order, before 3:00 P.M (IST) of December 14, 2023. The cover should be super-scribed with "Bid Form and EMD for M S Marketing Enterprises Pvt Ltd". The portal ID for online submission is https://DisposalHub.com.
4. The highest bidder shall deposit 25.0% of the sale price including EMD immediately on the same day of auction or not later than next working day and balance within 15 days of confirmation of sale of the property.
5. To the best of knowledge and information of the Authorised Officer, there are no encumbrances on the Secured Asset. However, the intending bidders should make their own independent inquiries regarding the encumbrances, title of Secured Asset put for auction and claims/ rights/ dues/ affecting the Secured Asset, prior to submitting their bid. The e-Auction advertisement does not constitute and will not deem to constitute any commitment or representation of the Secured Creditors. The property is being sold with all the existing and future encumbrances whether known or unknown to the Secured Creditors. The Authorised Officer/Secured Creditors shall not be responsible in any way for any third party claims/rights/dues.
6. The intending purchasers/bidders shall not be entitled to raise any objection as to area, boundary or title or other particulars, as the same are believed to be and shall be taken as correct and if any error or misstatement or omission if discovered in the particulars of the Secured Asset, the same shall not annul the sale nor shall be entitled to any compensation from the Secured Creditors or its Officers and no complaint for compensation of any nature will be entertained.
7. The sale shall be subject to terms and conditions as incorporated in this public notice and as prescribed in Bid/Tender Document. The Authorised Officer has the absolute right to accept or reject any tender/bid or to modify the terms and conditions of the sale or adjourn/postpone the sale, without assigning any reason thereof.
8. For any further clarifications with regards to auction sale, inspection, terms and conditions of the auction or submission of tenders, kindly contact on Phone No:

Free entry for India women's cricket team's ties in Mumbai

Fans have been spared the hassle of running around for tickets during Indian women's cricket team's fixtures against England and Australia at the Wankhede Stadium and DY Patil Stadium as the Mumbai Cricket Association made the entry free for all those matches. The women's team will face England first (T20i series and one-off Test) from December 6 and will face Australia (one-off Test and ODI series) from December 21.

SC paves way for WFI elections, RO to decide on revised schedule

FIROZ MIRZA @Chennai

EVEN as the returning officer is expected to announce the revised schedule of the Wrestling Federation of India (WFI) elections later this week after the Supreme Court on Tuesday set aside the stay imposed on it, all eyes will be on the hearing scheduled in the Punjab and Haryana High Court on Thursday. The Supreme Court has made it clear that the P&H High Court will decide the writ petition filed by the Haryana Wrestling Association (HWA) on its merit.

A bench of justices Abhay S Oka and Pankaj Mithal while overturning the stay reportedly expressed strong reservations and said it failed to understand how the entire process of the election could have been set at naught by the High Court.

"Pending a writ petition filed by the Haryana Wrestling Association, by an interim order the High Court has stayed the election of WFI. We fail to understand how the entire process of the election could have been set at naught by HC. The proper course would have been to allow the election to be conducted and make the election subject to the outcome of the pending writ petition. Accordingly, the impugned order granting interim relief is set aside," said the court.

It also directed the returning officer MM Kumar, retired Chief Justice of the J&K High Court, to publish a revised schedule of elections. "It will be open for returning officer to proceed with the election by publishing a revised election program. We make it clear that the outcome of the election will be subject to orders that may be passed in the petition," the bench said.

Notably, the P&H High Court while hearing the writ petition from HWA seeking voting rights stayed the elections on August 11, a day before the polls were scheduled. The HWA had challenged the move of the returning officer to allow the Haryana Amateur Wrestling Association to cast votes in the WFI polls.

The stay meant the elections were stalled for the third time. Earlier, the returning officer had set July 6 as the election date before revising it to July 11. But the Assam association moved the Gauhati High Court and managed to get a stay on the July 11 polls on June 25.

The latest breakthrough came after the ad-hoc committee members — Bhupender Singh Bajwa and Suma Shirur — filed affidavits in the Supreme Court challenging the stay on the elections. The ad-hoc body was appointed by the Indian Olympic Association (IOA) on April 27 to run wrestling in the country as the WFI chief Brij Bhushan Sharan Singh was sidelined because of sexual harassment allegations made against him by top wrestlers including Bajrang Punia, Vinesh Phogat and Sakshi Malik. The panel was asked to hold the elections within 45 days. The mess also meant United World Wrestling, the world governing body, suspended the WFI in August.

RO yet to receive the order

Meanwhile, the returning officer, who has been asked to proceed with the elections, has yet not received the order. "I haven't received the order yet," Kumar told this daily. Speaking on the future course of action, he said, "It all depends on the directives of the Supreme Court. Once I go through the order, I can say whether the process has to start from where it was stopped or entirely a new schedule has to be announced. The only thing I can assure is that there will be no loss of time as the goal would be to hold elections in earnest."

Bajwa also told this daily that the returning officer may meet the ad-hoc panel members on Wednesday. "If he receives the order in time, we can meet tomorrow to discuss the way forward. Anyway, it's his call to decide the schedule and we are ready for to implement it," said Bajwa.

Jaiswal, Rinku moving to next level

Duo making a strong case for themselves to be the first names in the T20I India team sheet

SWAROOP SWAMINATHAN
@Chennai

WHILE the needle has moved with respect to India's 50-over approach, its T20s is still a work in progress. Previous regimes have tended to view it as a shortened ODI and its reflected in some heavy defeats at global events. After Rohit Sharma took over as skipper, he vowed to change the playing style.

While his clarion call has resulted in a clear transformation in 50-over cricket, Rohit hasn't had the same degree of success in the shortest format. In his first years of T20Is, he struck at 139.4 at an average of 32.4. Since he was elevated as skipper, he has been striking at 137.9 while averaging 27.1. Middling numbers.

There is a school of thought that Rohit may step aside from this format. One player who will be a more than handy replacement is Yashasvi Jaiswal. Even if Rohit is going to be an option till the World Cup next year, Jaiswal's name should be pencilled in as one of the two openers. Among openers, the southpaw is the leading light in that he looks to take the game on from the very first ball.

India opener Ruturaj Gaikwad's unbeaten 123 off 57 balls went in vain on Tuesday as Australia won the third T20I in Guwahati to keep the series alive | AP

One look at his metrics and you can see why. His strike-rate ate (170.49) and balls faced per fours or sixes (3.45) while averaging in excess of 30 is something Indian cricket hasn't had for a long time. He marries intent with execution and that's why he's so successful. "His work ethic is second to none, it's a boring answer but it's also the truth," is how a person who has worked closely with the 21-year-old explained his methods. "He's a gym rat, all he wants is to keep batting. He maybe a slight guy but he is focused on packing some strength into those forearms. That's where he gets his power from." He may have failed in the third T20I against Australia on Tuesday — he came dancing down the track but nicked through to the keeper — but the team management should be pleased with what they have seen thus far. He doesn't put a value on his wicket so the onus is on taking the game on.

This much has been evident even while watching his games for Rajasthan Royals. With Jos Buttler playing in a different role, Jaiswal is the one who has take advantage of the field restriction. That he is a left-hander also helps his cause immensely.

Another left-hander who should be a shoo-in in any full strength squad is Rinku Singh. He didn't get a chance to bat on Tuesday but he has already showed what he can do at the back-end of an innings. His nine-ball 31 at Thiruvananthapuram caught the eye of skipper Suryakumar Yadav. In the first game, he maintained his calm to guide India home. "When I saw Rinku come in to bat in the last game, the composure he showed was brilliant," Surya said of that innings. "It reminded me of someone (MS Dhoni). Everyone knows the answer."

Tuesday's accolades, though, was reserved for Ruturaj Gaikwad, one among many who's trying to rubber-stamp a place in the top-order. His unbeaten 57-ball 123 was laced with 20 hits to the fence, but it was not enough as Glenn Maxwell's 104 not out took Australia across the line.

Brief scores: India 222/3 in 20 ovs (Gaikwad 123 n.o, Suryakumar 39, Tilak 31 n.o) **lost to** Australia 225/5 in 20 ovs (Maxwell 104 n.o, Head 35; Bishnoi 2/32).

Kavita Singhania (C), Managing Director of EIPL, unveiling the Tamil Nadu pickleball team jersey for the upcoming national meet that is scheduled to be held in Ahmedabad from December 1, in Chennai on Tuesday | ASHWIN PRASATH

Shot in arm for TN's pickleball aspirations ahead of nationals

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@Chennai

As you scan the Tamil Nadu pickleball team for the upcoming national tournament that is set to happen in Ahmedabad, it is striking. The team has 25 players of various age-groups ranging from school kids to retired bank employees. If you ask K Mohit Kumar, general secretary of Tamil Nadu Pickleball Association, he says that is one of the key reasons why pickleball is one of the fastest growing sports in the world.

It's a bit like badminton, but also like table-tennis. At the same time, it is not as tiring as tennis. And the rules are simple. And players from other sports such as tennis and badminton are also taking to it. In fact, it is exactly why what started as a community sport in the USA is now officially played in 80 countries, including India, and there are talks going on as to whether it could make it to the 2032 Brisbane Olympics.

In India, as many as 15 states are expected to take part in the upcoming nationals conducted by the All India Pickleball Association. The tournament may feature 350-400 players, top players from each state, going against each other from December 1-3. In Tamil Nadu, there are over 200 players registered with TNPA, but Mohit expects the number to double in a couple of months. "In Chennai, we have ten venues where they can play pickleball and other districts, Salem. Coimbatore, Kanyakumari, and Erode. In Chennai, we have tie-ups with DAV schools, we play in corporation parks also. We have dedicated members who make sure it all happens smoothly," Mohit told this daily on Tuesday.

Among the players TNPA has is Vimalraj Jayachandran, a professional tennis player who had an ITF singles ranking of 2554 (August 2019). He got to know about the sport about six months ago, but fell in love with it immediately. "In the span of six months, I won in the South India Premier League, I won a bronze medal in a state tournament and it has been upwards since then. If tennis is my first love, pickleball is second," says Vimalraj.

Even as the sport is growing rapidly, TNPA has now joined hands with Express Avenue, where multiple pickleball courts — Ice Water sporting arena — are expected to be launched next month. EA has also come on board as the sponsor for the state association, taking care of the players' needs and promoting the sport, said Kavita Singhania, Managing Director of EIPL, at an event on Tuesday. "We want EA to be one spot for all kinds of entertainment. We want people to be more aware of pickleball, to leave their ipads and iphones and start going out and playing, which we used to do as youngsters. We are going to promote the TN players for all their events," she told this daily.

Mohit said that the association with EA will help TNPA take the sport forward. "It is going to help players and also help the association to grow it to the grassroot level where we can reach out to players and confidently tell them that yes, we have backup to take you to the next level."

Exploring the sport...

WHAT IS PICKLEBALL?
Often explained as a hybrid of tennis, badminton and table-tennis, pickleball is played on a badminton-sized court with a lowered net. No bar on age.

WHEN DID IT START?
It all began in 1965 when former Washington State Rep. Joel Pritchard and businessman Bill Bell realised they did not have enough equipment for their families to play badminton on the former's court. The duo improvised with table-tennis paddles, wiffleball and a modified court. Soon, people got hooked up and now, it is one of the fastest growing sports in the world.

HOW IS IT PLAYED?
Like badminton, whether it is singles or doubles, the ball is served diagonally before being returned after pitching. Once the ball has pitched on either side, the players can take it as volleys. The points vary from 11 to 15 to 21, with only serving team getting points before being faulted.

WHY HAS IT BECOME POPULAR?
For starters, anyone can pick up this sport at any age. It is not as physically tiring as tennis or other court-based sports. And as was the case when it began, it has a community feel to it where everyone in a family could play together. But more than anything else, the element of having fun that has brought people in.

WHERE IS IT HEADED?
With the fast-growing nature of the possibility, there has been discussions on making it a Olympic sport down the line. At the moment, it seems like the sport is in the talks for the 2032 Brisbane Olympics with as many as 80 countries being a part of the International Pickleball Association.

Just want to enjoy my game: Sai Sudharsan focussed on TN

ASHOK VENUGOPAL @Chennai

THE national selection committee, led by Ajit Agarkar, is hopeful that India can do well in the T20 World Cup to be played next year at USA.

Sources close to the selection committee revealed that the selectors, team management and players are yet to come to terms to the loss against Australia in the 50-over World Cup final at Gujarat. With many of the stalwarts of the said World Cup campaign unlikely to be around during the next edition at South Africa in 2027, the selectors are keen to identify and groom the players henceforth.

Thus, the ongoing Vijay Hazare tournament is vital for players to make an impression and capture the attention of the selectors.

One player who is in the radar of the selectors is Tamil Nadu's B Sai Sudharsan, who has been impressive across all formats for his state. He did well in the last IPL as well, making a brilliant 96 for Gujarat Titans in the final, which they eventually lost to Chennai Super Kings in a thriller

"I'm not thinking too far ahead, I just want to enjoy my game and contribute to Tamil Nadu. There is absolutely no extra pressure on me. Playing First Class cricket itself has its pressure and pulls. I'm just concentrating on the tournament that I am playing now. I'm eager to do well for TN," Sai Sudharsan told this daily.

The 22-year old started the tournament with a bang with a punishing century against Goa. Tamil Nadu have played two games so far and won both. In the first game, TN batters did the job against Goa and in the second one, their bowlers annihilated Bengal.

Tamil Nadu will take on Baroda on Wednesday.

Full story: newindianexpress.com

Haryana's silver lining: Invaluable lessons from senior hockey nationals

KALYANI MANGALE @Chennai

TN sports minister Udhayanidhi Stalin (3rd from right in the foreground) handing over the trophy to the victorious Punjab team on Tuesday | D SAMPATHKUMAR

MUKESH Kumar, Haryana's head coach, went through an emotional rollercoaster throughout the final of the senior national men's hockey meet here. It wasn't just the regulation time of sixty minutes, where his team came back twice against Punjab to make it 2-2, but a penalty shootout, which lasted 27 minutes, that made the 13th edition of the nationals 'a hit!'

"Both teams had a bunch of international players, who have either played together or been together at the national camps. They know each other's game inside out. Both teams played attacking hockey throughout the match so it was always going to be an intense matchup. In a shootout, it was always going to be tough because both goalkeepers have international experience. You can say the nationals were a hit and the final played out like another hit," Kumar reflected after the final.

After dominant wins against Gujarat and Chhattisgarh in the group stage, Kumar always knew his team's real test would come in the knockouts. Odisha made a comeback in the quarterfinals to push Haryana to a penalty shootout where goalkeeper Pawan became the hero. In the semifinals against Tamil Nadu, the goalkeeper again stood up. His contribution didn't go unnoticed as captain Sumit called him 'the one who won us the game'. "He (Pawan) won us in the quarterfinal and semifinal. He was amazing throughout the knockouts and even today he played really well," Sumit mentioned.

Haryana will go back as the runners-up, but for Kumar, the tournament has helped them on many levels, especially for the players knocking on the door for national selection. "It is motivating for the youngsters. Once they play with the Indian players, they will get to see where they can go and what they can achieve. At the same time, they get to learn from the international players and absorb the changes happening in hockey worldwide. Whether it's about tactics or a new approach, it's like being a sponge. Even when we are practicing at the SAI Sonepat campus, all seniors and juniors practice together, and the sharing of knowledge follows," said Kumar.

Results: 3rd place: TN bt Karnataka 5-3, **Final:** Punjab bt Haryana 2-2 (9-8 SO).

Full story: newindianexpress.com

EXPRESS READ

National boxing meet: Thapa & Panghal advance

SHILLONG: Six-time Asian Championships medallist Shiva Thapa (63.5kg) and World Championships silver medallist Amit Panghal (51kg) on Tuesday made a winning start to their campaign in the men's national boxing championships here. Thapa was made to work hard for his 4-3 split decision win by Abhinash Jamwal from Himachal Pradesh. SSCB's Panghal beat Shivaji from Maharashtra 5-0.

Archery nationals: Chauhan stuns Dhiraj

AYODHYA: Jharkhand's Mrinal Chauhan stunned India No 1 Dhiraj Bommadevara in the shoot-off to advance into the final of the men's recurve section at the senior nationals here on Tuesday. From a tied 5-all, Chauhan stepped up in the shoot-off with a perfect to edge out Dhiraj by one point. He will face Tushar Shelkein the final.

Namibia qualify for men's T20 WC 2024

DUBAI: Namibia on Tuesday qualified for the men's T20 World Cup 2024, courtesy 10 points and a net run rate of +2.643 that assured them a top-two finish on the Africa region qualifiers points table, the ICC announced. The T20 World Cup will be played in the West Indies and the USA from June 4-30 next year.

United seek survival, Arsenal eye last 16 berth

Keep a close eye on two English clubs during the second batch of Group Stage matches of this week's Champions League.

GALATASARAY VS MAN UNITED | 11:15 PM

This is a must-win game for Manchester United, who lie bottom of Group A. The fact that they have not won at Galatasaray in their previous three visits there makes it a daunting proposition. However, it will be unwise to write off United who are experiencing a rather strange season so far. They have not been easy on the eye to watch and yet they have been managing to accumulate points. On Sunday, they recorded their fifth Premier League win in six games. United will be hoping that Marcus Rashford, who has struggled for goals this season, can step up alongside other senior pros.

ARSENAL VS LENS | 1:30 AM

Arsenal currently sit atop Group B and a win against Lens will not only ensure a spot in the knockouts but will also ensure that they finish as toppers, which means they could get an easier draw (on paper) in the last 16. But they are up against a side who had beaten them in the reverse fixture. Mikel Arteta's men have become more sturdy at the back but their attack has been far from best. The big boys — Gabriel Jesus, Bukayo Saka and **Gabriel Martinelli** — need to step up.

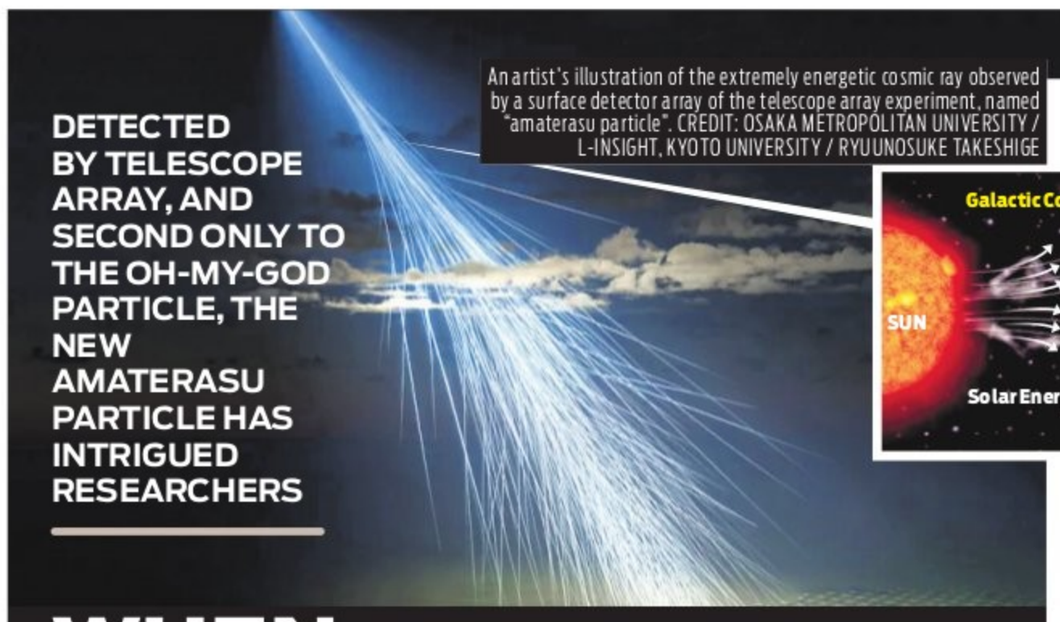
Other matches (1:30 AM unless stated): Sevilla vs PSV (11:15 PM); Bayern vs Copenhagen; Real Madrid vs Napoli; Real Sociedad vs RB Salzburg; Braga vs Union Berlin; Benfica vs Inter.

Live on Sony Sports Network

PIC: AP

La Liga: Girona held

SURPRISE package Girona failed to return to the top of La Liga on Monday after they were held to a 1-1 draw at home by Athletic Bilbao. Winger Viktor Tsygankov put the hosts ahead 10 minutes after half time but Inaki Williams scored 12 minutes later to claim a point for the away side. Girona trail league leaders Real Madrid on goal difference after dropping points for just the third time this season, while Athletic climbed to fifth spot.



An artist's illustration of the extremely energetic cosmic ray observed by a surface detector array of the telescope array experiment, named "amaterasu particle". CREDIT: OSAKA METROPOLITAN UNIVERSITY / L-INSIGHT, KYOTO UNIVERSITY / RYUUNOSUKE TAKESHIGE

DETECTED BY TELESCOPE ARRAY, AND SECOND ONLY TO THE OH-MY-GOD PARTICLE, THE NEW AMATERASU PARTICLE HAS INTRIGUED RESEARCHERS

WHEN THE SECOND HIGHEST-ENERGY COSMIC RAY ZAPPED THROUGH

In 1991, the University of Utah Fly's Eye experiment detected the highest-energy cosmic ray ever observed. Dubbed "Oh-My-God particle", the ray's energy shocked astrophysicists. Nothing in the Milky Way had the power to produce it, and the particle had more energy than was theoretically possible for cosmic rays traveling to Earth from other galaxies. Simply put, the particle should not exist.

The Telescope Array has since observed more than 30 ultra-high-energy cosmic rays, though none approaching the Oh-My-God-level energy. No observations have yet revealed their origin or how they are able to travel to Earth.

On May 27, 2021, the Telescope Array experiment detected the second-highest extreme-energy cosmic ray. At 2.4 x 1020eV, the energy of this single sub-atomic particle is equivalent to dropping a brick on your toe from waist height. Led by the University of Utah (the U) and the University of Tokyo, Telescope Array consists of 507 surface detector stations arranged in a square grid that covers 700 km2 (~270 miles2) outside of Delta, in Utah's West Desert. The event triggered 23 detectors at the north-west region of Telescope Array, splashing across 48 km2. Its arrival direction appeared to be from the Local Void, an empty area of space bordering our galaxy.

"The particles are so high energy, they shouldn't be affected by galactic and extragalactic magnetic fields. You should be able to point to where they come from in the sky," said John Matthews, Telescope Array co-spokesperson at the U and co-author of the study, adding, "But in the case of the Oh-My-God particle and this new particle, you trace its trajectory to its source and there's nothing high energy enough to have produced it. That's the mystery."

In their observations on November 24 this year, in journal Science, an international collaboration of researchers describe the ultra-high-energy cosmic ray, evaluate its characteristics, and conclude that the rare phenomena might follow particle physics unknown to science. The researchers named it the Amaterasu particle after the sun goddess in Japanese mythology. The Oh-My-God and Amaterasu particles were detected using different observation techniques, confirming that while rare, these ultra-high energy events are real. "These events seem like they're coming from completely different places in the sky. It's not like there's one mysterious source," said John Belz, professor at the U and co-author of the study. "It could be defects in the structure of spacetime, colliding cosmic strings," he suggested.

Natural particle accelerators

Cosmic rays are echoes of violent celestial events that have stripped matter to its sub-atomic structures and hurled it through the universe at near speed of light. Essentially, cosmic rays are charged particles with a wide range of energies consisting of positive protons, negative electrons, or entire atomic nuclei that travel through space and rain down to Earth nearly constantly.

Cosmic rays hit Earth's upper atmosphere and blast apart nuclei of oxygen and nitrogen gas, generating many secondary particles, which travel a short distance in the atmosphere and repeat the process, building a shower of billions of secondary particles that scatter to the surface. The footprint of this secondary shower is massive and requires that detectors cover an area as large as Telescope Array. The surface detectors utilise a suite of instrumentation that gives researchers information about each ray; the timing of the signal shows its trajectory and the amount of charged particles hitting each detector reveals the primary particle's energy.

Because particles have a charge, their flight path resembles a ball in a pinball machine as they zigzag against the electromagnetic fields through the cosmic microwave background. It's nearly impossible to trace the trajectory of most cosmic rays, which lie on the low- to middle-end of the energy spectrum. Even high-energy cosmic rays are distorted by the microwave background. Particles with Oh-My-God and Amaterasu energy blast through intergalactic space relatively unbent. Only the most powerful of celestial events can produce them.

"Things that people think of as energetic, like supernovae, are nowhere near energetic enough for this. You need huge amounts of energy, really high magnetic fields to confine the particle while it gets accelerated," said Matthews.

Ultra-high-energy cosmic rays must exceed 5 x 1019 eV. This means that a single subatomic particle carries the same kinetic energy as a major league pitcher's fastball and has tens of millions of times more energy than any human-made particle accelerator can achieve. Astrophysicists calculated this theoretical limit, known as the Greisen-Zatsepin-Kuzmin (GZK) cutoff, as the maximum energy a proton can hold traveling over long distances before the effects of interactions of the microwave background radiation take their energy. Known source candidates, such as active galactic nuclei or Black Holes with accretion disks emitting particle jets, tend to be more than 160 million light years away from Earth. The new particle's 2.4 x 1020 eV and the Oh-My-God particle's 3.2 x 1020 eV easily surpass the cutoff.

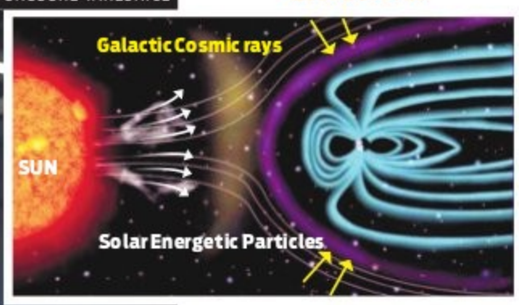
Researchers also analyse cosmic ray composition for clues of its origins. A heavier particle, like iron nuclei, are heavier, have more charge and are more susceptible to bending in a magnetic field than a lighter particle made of protons from a hydrogen atom. The new particle is likely a proton. Particle physics dictates that a cosmic ray with energy beyond the GZK cutoff is too powerful for the microwave background to distort its path, but back tracing its trajectory points towards empty space.

Expanding the footprint

Telescope Array is uniquely positioned to detect ultra-high-energy cosmic rays. It sits at about 1,200 m, the elevation sweet-spot that allows secondary particles maximum development, but before they start to decay. Its location in Utah's West Desert provides ideal atmospheric conditions in two ways: the dry air is crucial because humidity will absorb the ultraviolet light necessary for detection; and the region's dark skies are essential, as light pollution will create too much noise and obscure the cosmic rays. Astrophysicists are still baffled by the mysterious phenomena. The Telescope Array is in the middle of an expansion that they hope will help crack the case. Once completed, 500 new scintillator detectors will expand Telescope Array, which will sample cosmic ray-induced particle showers across 2,900 km2. The larger footprint will hopefully capture more events that will shed light on what's going on.

Source: University of Utah

ULTRA-HIGH-ENERGY COSMIC RAYS



According to scientists, ultra-high-energy cosmic rays are the highest energy messengers of the universe as we know it, with energies up to 1020 eV (electronvolts). Studies of astrophysical particles (nuclei, electrons, neutrinos and photons) at their highest observed energies have implications for fundamental physics, as well as astrophysics. The primary particles interact in the atmosphere, after reaching Earth from outer space, and generate extensive air showers.

TELESCOPE ARRAY

The Telescope Array experiment is an international collaborative project involving research and educational institutions in Japan, the US, Russia, South Korea, and Belgium. The experiment is designed to observe air showers induced by ultra-high-energy cosmic rays using a combination of ground array and air-fluorescence techniques. It is located in the high desert in Millard County, Utah, in the United States, at about 1,400 meters above sea level.

HOW IT WORKS

THE CURIOUS CASE OF CYBERNETIC PETS

ARSHITHA RAJ

IN the evolving landscape of technological advancements, the realm of pet ownership has witnessed a paradigm shift with the advent of virtual and robot pets. These innovative companions offer unique experiences, combining the emotional connect of traditional pets with the convenience and adaptability of cutting-edge technology, and without the need for the same amount of time, effort, and money that is required to care for a living pet.

Virtual pets, residing in the digital realm of smartphones and computers, are software-based simulations of real animals. They come in various forms, from simple pixelated creatures to more sophisticated and lifelike representations. The core mechanics of virtual pets involve a feedback loop between user actions and the pet's simulated responses. Software algorithms monitor the user's engagement and adjust the pet's behaviour accordingly. Typically, users are tasked with the responsibility of caring for their virtual companions by feeding, playing and nurturing them, which if neglected, may lead to a decline in its virtual health. As users invest time and effort, virtual pets may evolve, showcasing growth and progression within the confines of the digital world. A lot of virtual pets are created to be unique or made-up pets like Tamagotchi, Neopets and MetaPals, among others.

In contrast to virtual pets confined to screens, robot pets bring a tangible and physical dimension to the concept of artificial companionship. These are equipped with sensors, actuators, and sophisticated programming to emulate the behaviours of living animals. Robot pets are designed to create an interactive and responsive experience, mimicking the dynamics of a genuine pet-owner relationship.

The functionality of robot pets extends beyond mere simulation, incorporating elements of Artificial Intelligence (AI) and Machine Learning. While AI algorithms facilitate learning and adaptation, components like motors and actuators control movements, allowing robot pets to walk, wag their tails, or even mimic facial expressions. Touch sensors enable them to respond to physical contact, and speakers and microphones facilitate interaction through sounds and voice commands. Aibo is one of the most popular robot pets.

Both virtual and robot pets contribute to human wellbeing by addressing various emotional, psychological and social needs. For individuals who are unable to care for real living pets due to allergies, living conditions or other constraints, these artificial companions offer a viable alternative. In therapeutic settings, these pets have demonstrated positive effects on mental health. Understanding the inner workings of these artificial companions will allow us to appreciate the nuanced fusion of technology and companionship, offering new avenues for human expression and connection.

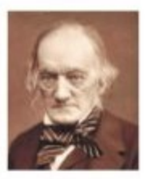
BEHIND THE SCIENCE

SIR RICHARD OWEN

TERRIBLE LIZARD

HRITHIK KIRAN BAGADE

A great epochal event in the history of science in general, and paleontology and zoology in particular occurred in 1841, one which also shaped pop culture over a century later. The individual who made this happen was Sir Richard Owen, a foremost evolutionary biologist and anatomist of his time. Owen was born on July 20, 1804, in Lancaster, England. He attended the University of Edinburgh, and also worked as a surgeon's apprentice in 1820, working at the Royal College of Surgeons in 1826. He also served as conservator of the Hunterian Museum, a repository of anatomical exhibits. While occupied with the cataloguing of the Hunterian collection, Owen began looking for fresh subjects to dissect. He was allowed to examine animals that died in London Zoo and, when the latter began publishing scientific proceedings in 1831, he became a prolific contributor of anatomical papers. His first notable publication, Memoir on the Pearly Nautilus (1832), is recognised as a classic. Over an illustrious 50-year period, Owen contributed immensely to every department of comparative anatomy and zoology, notably working around reptiles, related to the skeletons of extinct forms. Coming to 1841, Owen, who was then the first director of the Natural History Museum, coined the term 'Dinosauria' -- the origin of the word dinosaur, lending a fresh taxonomy to the prehistoric creatures. The word 'dinosaur' is from the Greek deinos (terrible) and sauros (lizard). Owen died on December 18, 1892, in London, but his 'Dinosauria' granted immortality to the 65 million-years-old animals.



IN THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL at Visakhapatnam
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O.A.No.956/2023

Summons Under Sub-section (4) of Section 19 of the Act, Read with Sub-rule (2A) of Rule 5 of the Debt Recovery Tribunal (Procedure) Rules, 1993

Between

M/s. City Union Bank Ltd.,
Rep. by its Senior Manager,
Gudur Branch, Nellore District. ... Applicant

and

1) **M/s. Fashion Influence Clothing India Private Limited,**
Represented by its Director, Mr. Bussareddy Chandrasekhar,
S/o. Radhakrishna Reddy
2) **Mr. Bussareddy Chandrasekhar,**
3) **Mr. Ajayaadhithiyaa .B,**
4) **Mrs. Ranjani Balasubramaniam,**
5) **Mrs. Kapuganti Umamaheshwari,**
6) **Mr. Chereddy Srinivasalu Reddy,**
7) **Mr. Vajja Venkata Krishna Reddy,**
8) **Mrs. Somisetti Swarna Latha,**
9) **Mr. S.Purushothaman,**
10) **Mr. T. Santhosh Kumar,**
11) **Mr. Bheemavarapu Sreenivasalu,**
12) **Mr. Revuri Balaji,**
13) **Mrs. Revuri Snehalathadevi,**
14) **Mrs. Kondapalli Rikmini,**
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17) **Mr. Kondapalli Sreeram**
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SUBSTITUTED SERVICE OF SUMMONS TO THE DEFENDANTS 1 To 4 & 7 & 9 & 12 & 13 BY WAY OF PAPER PUBLICATION

Whereas, the above **O.A No.956/2023** was listed before Hon'ble Presiding Officer / Registrar on **04-12-2023.**

Whereas, this Hon'ble Tribunal is pleased to issue Summons / Notice on the said Application under section 19(4) of the Act, (OA) filed against you for Recovery of Debts of ₹ **26,83,68,969/-** (Application along with copies of documents etc., annexed)

In Accordance with Sub-Section (4) of Section 19 of the Act, you, the Defendants are directed as under :-

i) To show cause within Thirty Days of the service of summons as to why relief prayed for should not be granted;

ii) To disclose particulars of properties or assets other than properties and assets specified by the Applicant under Serial Number 3A of the Original Application;

iii) You are restrained from dealing with or disposing of secured assets or such other assets and properties disclosed under Serial Number 3A of the Original Application, pending hearing and disposal of the Application for attachment of properties;

iv) You shall not transfer by way of sale, lease or otherwise, except in the ordinary course of his business any of the assets over which security interest is created and / or other assets and properties specified or disclosed under Serial Number 3A of the Original Application without the prior approval of the Tribunal;

v) You shall be liable to account for the sale proceeds realized by Sale of Secured Assets or other Assets and Properties in the ordinary course of business and deposit such Sale proceeds in the account maintained with the Bank or Financial Institutions holding security interest over such assets.

You are also directed to file the Written Statement with a copy thereof furnished to the applicant and to appear before The Presiding Officer / Registrar on **04-12-2023** at **10.30 a.m.** failing the application shall be heard and decided in your absence.

Given under my hand and seal of this Tribunal on this the **13th day of November, 2023.**

Signature of the Officer, Authorised to Issue Summons.

Arogyamandir
Health - Problem and Solution

Q. What does Sapta Dhatu and Shukravardhan mean as per Ayurved?

Ans- As per Ayurved, our body is made up of seven types of body tissues known as Dhatus: Rasa, Rakta, Mansa, Meda, Asthi, Majja & Shukra. These form the human body and their healthy functioning is essential for optimum health. The everyday wear and tear of the body needs to be replenished by a healthy diet and lifestyle. Ayurved advocates use of Rasayan for ensuring that all body tissues are rejuvenated so that they function to the best of their ability. Shukravardhan means a substance or ingredients that helps to nourish Shukra Dhatu in the body which helps in boosting the vigour and vitality. It helps increase stamina, physical strength and improves overall wellbeing.

Q. How does Shilapravang Special help in improving physical and mental strength?

Ans- Shilapravang Special is formulated with Shukravardhak and Balya herbomineral ingredients such as Suvarna Bhasma, Shodhit Shilajatu, Ashvagandha, Pravala Bhasma, Vanga Bhasma and Suvarnamakshik Bhasma. These help in nourishing Sapta Dhatus in the body as they are Sapdhatu Poshak in action. It builds stamina and boosts energy levels. It has Rasayan Dravyas such as Amalaki, Guduchi that boosts immunity, help reduce stress and anxiety due to routine hectic lifestyle. Thus, helps to prevent from physical and mental fatigue.

Q. When consuming Shilapravang Special, are there any dietary guidelines as per Ayurved to be followed?

Ans- When consuming Shilapravang Special it is best to avoid Ushna i.e. heat increasing factors in diet and lifestyle. Intake of spicy, astringent, excessive salty food, working in excessive hot temperatures and overexposure to sun all must be avoided. Have regular meals and adequate water intake as per the requirement of your body, along with a healthy lifestyle.

It is appropriate to take medicines with the advice of Ayurvedic physician.

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DAY'S DIARY

Rajiv resigns

On this day in 1989, Rajiv Gandhi resigned as Prime Minister, saying "in all humility" he accepted the verdict of people

LOSS IN MAJORITY

The Congress renounced its claim to power "at this juncture." The counting of votes was not completed, but the party was assured of losing its majority in Parliament

YOUNGEST PRIME MINISTER

At 40, Rajiv Gandhi was the youngest Prime Minister of India. but the party began to lose support, plagued by administrative problems

LOK SABHA DEBACLE

The resignation came in the wake of Lok Sabha poll debacle. President R Venkataraman asked the council to stay in office till a new party takes over

A curated guide to happenings in the city

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WITH THE OVERSATURATION OF DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPHY AND ITS TRANSIENCE, MANY YOUNG PEOPLE IN THE CITY ARE INCREASINGLY TURNING TO FILM PHOTOGRAPHY

ANALOGUE RENAISSANCE

Dark Room at Kanike Studios | SNIGDHA RANA

Shooting on film allows you to be in the moment. Most people are missing the moment while being busy capturing the moment

Sumanth Shivakumar, photographer

POOJA DAS

IT can be hard to imagine a time when you go on a road trip and all you have are two rolls of film to capture all your near-perfect moments. But, before digital cameras became the norm, film photography was the only way to keep our precious memories safe in an album. But these days, many young people are returning to this antiquated mode of photography as they look for a sense of intimacy and meaning through the art form.

Sumanth Shivakumar, founder of Miles on Film, a film photography club in the city says, "I did not want to create digital junk which is why I never picked up a digital camera." Shivakumar started the club in 2019 and has built a community of 180 people. "Most of the members are in their mid-20s," he adds. Talking about the revival of analogue, Shivakumar says that the market has also picked up on the sentiment, "When I started, I bought a mint edition film camera for ₹1000. Now the same camera is selling around ₹10-12000."

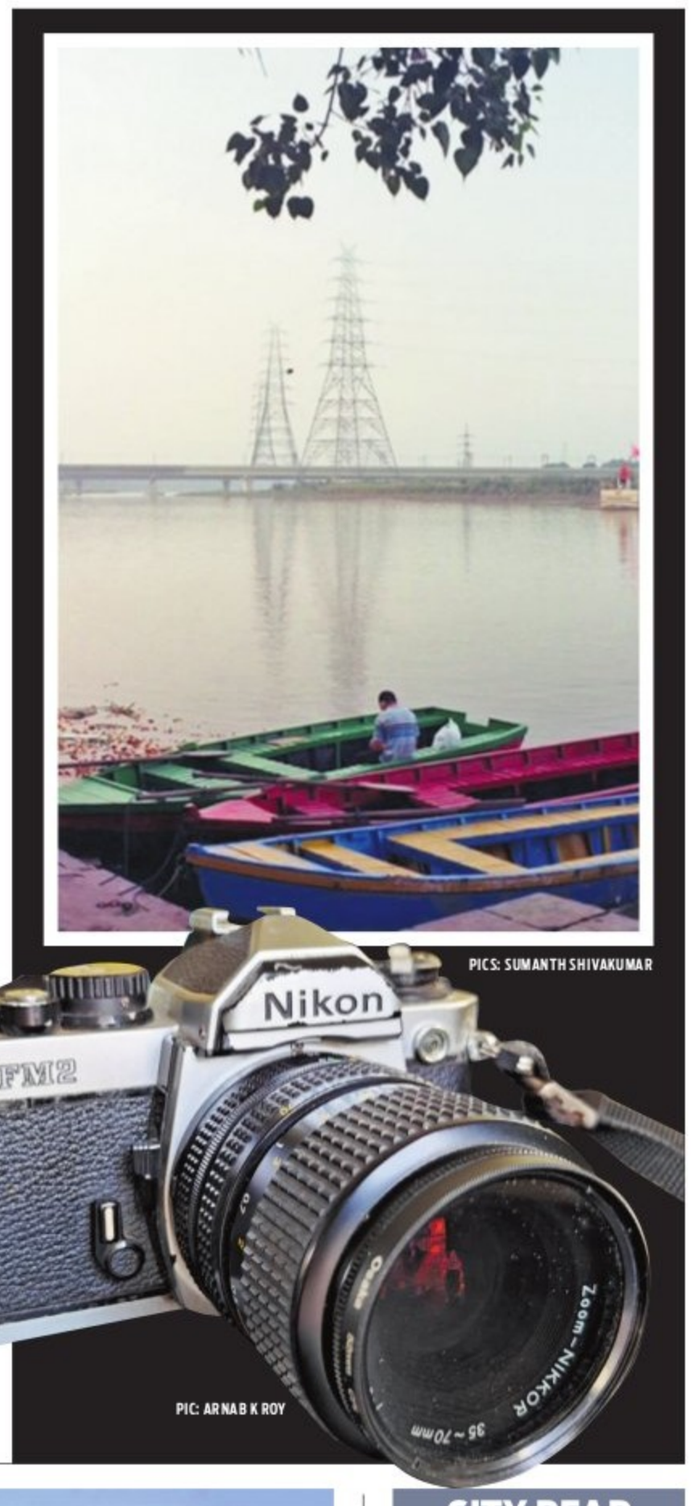
While Shivakumar agrees it has become cool to pick up an analogue camera, he also believes that the younger generation is interested because of the quality of a film photograph. "Technically, it has a high dynamic range which you cannot duplicate on a digital photograph no matter how high-end the camera is," explains Shivakumar. However, he adds that it's much more about appreciating the moment, "Shooting on film allows you to be in the moment. Most people are missing the moment while being busy capturing the moment."

Not just young people, but many veterans have also returned to film. Vikram Nanjappa, founder of the YouTube channel A Roll of Film returned to analogue photography when the pandemic hit. "I started using my old film cameras in the lockdown because I was tired of digital," says Nanjappa.

Arnab K Roy, a working professional in the city, who started film photography at the age of 24 says, "I picked it up after my father gifted me a film camera when I got my first job. He says that initially, the process of shooting with film might seem complex. Shivakumar adds that the whole process of shooting and developing is difficult which can lead to the interest dying down eventually. "I am trying to conduct more workshops with veteran photographers on how to develop pictures at home so it becomes more affordable."

Kanike Studios is one of the few studios in the city where photographers can access a darkroom. "We usually rent out the darkroom in terms of half a day or a full day. We have all the chemicals that are needed for black and white photography and if there is a sufficient number of rolls, we can also do colour processing," says Vivek Muthuramalingam, one of the founders of the Studio.

"People born into the digital era are also taking up analog. I don't think nostalgia is necessarily a part of it. It's the inherent beauty of the medium itself and the beautiful grain that has not been recreated in the digital realm. Digital only pixelates, there is no grain, and rightfully, it's called the noise," adds Muthuramalingam.



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KNOW YOUR CITY

Arun Prasad, city-based history researcher, unravels interesting facts about Bengaluru in this weekly quiz series. So it's time for you to find out how familiar you are with the city, beyond its heritage buildings, IT parks and the pub culture.

THE QUIZ WILL BE PUBLISHED EVERY WEDNESDAY

Send answers to **bengalurucityexpress@gmail.com** with the subject line **'Know Your City Quiz'**

Correct answers and names of first three respondents with right answers will be featured in *CE*.

1. Every year November 26 is celebrated as 'Constitution Day' in India commemorating the adoption of the constitution in 1949, which officially came into effect on 26th January 1950. Bengaluru has a prominent traffic junction named after the constitution as 'Constitution Circle'. It is the first and perhaps the only traffic junction in India to be named after the Indian Constitution. Which busy area in the city is the traffic circle located?

2. Bengaluru's cityscape is dotted with many statues of Dr BR Ambedkar who is regarded as the chief architect of Indian Constitution. Of all, the prominent and most popular one stands in front of an iconic architectural building in the heart of the city. The statue depicts Ambedkar cradling the constitution of India in his left arm and pointing the way forward with his right. Name the architectural marvel in the backdrop of the statue.

3. Bengaluru has a cultural auditorium named after Ambedkar as Ambedkar Bhavan located on a prominent road near cantonment railway station. Apparently, the auditorium was built on an erstwhile lake-bed. Name the lake which was once a prominent water source for the cantonment area in the city.

Decoding Ragas

Acclaimed singer MD Pallavi talks about her upcoming performance *From Ragas to Reels* being held on December 6

POOJA DAS

OFTEN when one listens to the melodic songs from their favourite movies, they do not realise that they too are participating, albeit unknowingly, in appreciating Indian classical music and its mystical ragas. They are a tonal system on which variations are improvised within a prescribed framework of typical progressions, melodic formulas and rhythmic patterns. The upcoming concert *From Ragas to Reels* by the renowned singer MD Pallavi is curated to bring us a little closer to these ragas through familiar songs. "The idea is to demystify the Indian classical raga and to present it in a way that somebody who has no understanding of the Indian classical system is able to understand and identify the structure within which a lot of compositions that one hears in their everyday life exist." The show will be held on December 6 at the Bangalore International Centre under the aegis of the Unboxing BLR Festival.

Talking about the creative process behind curating a concert like this, Pallavi says, "The concert needs me to do quite a lot of research because I present film songs that are within a certain raga and I decode the raga. It requires research as well as a script to put it all together in a cohesive fashion. For example, I will be presenting the raga Ahir Bhairav and there are many famous songs in this raga, one of them being the famous *Poocho Na Kaise Meine Rain Bitai*." The veteran singer is supported by a team of renowned musicians, with Amith Nadig on flute, Lokesh R and Amith Raj S on tabla, Sunaad Anooronkanjira and Amogha Varsha on drums. Shabbir Ahmed will be the music arranger for the show.

Pallavi, who has also won the Karnataka State Film Award in the best playback singer category for the song '*Nodayya Kwate Lingave*' from the Kannada hit *Duniya*, has also recently collaborated with German cellist and electronic musician Andi Otto, "That collaboration is across two countries and we have released the CD called *Songs of Broken Ships*. He had come to India recently and we did a series of performances featuring songs from that album," says Pallavi. She will also be performing with Otto in Europe next month.

Talking about her upcoming projects, Pallavi says, "I also have a new show with Bindhumalini Narayanaswamy and Vedanth Bharadwaj, called *Songfarers at Sea*, that brings together songs and poetry about the sea. Then I am also composing music for a new play that will be directed by Abhishek Majumdar."

Unboxing BLR Habba, an amalgamation of tech, lit, culture and design that aims to showcase B'luru's vibrant culture, kicks off on Friday

A Cultural Melange

DESE GOWDA

WITH Bengaluru having become a tech and startup powerhouse over the last two decades, the various aspects of the once quaint city seem to have been stripped out or overshadowed by its still-growing reputation as the Silicon Valley of India. But with a storied history that stretches to well over 500 years, the city is much more than a bastion of technology. As such, a new 11-days-long mega festival that is set to kick off on Dec 1 hopes to highlight the vibrant culture of the city that has prompted so many people – from not just India, but also the world – to call the city their home in the first place.

Unboxing BLR Habba is an amalgamation of technology, literature, design, and culture that brings together various existing cultural, literary and other entities together under a single umbrella. "There was a keen realisation that the cultural vibrancy of the city does not get the attention that it deserves. The physical infrastructure of the city (or the lack thereof) routinely makes headlines. But the soft infrastructure of the city, which all global cities like Bengaluru have – a vibrant culture, and the quality of life which attracts people from across the world, doesn't get the same attention," shares Malini Goyal, founder of Unboxing BLR foundation, adding "Traditionally, Bengaluru has stood for startup and tech. That's what attracts people from across the world or even across India to the city. Apart from that, the pub culture is also widely recognised. But there's more to Bengaluru than just tech and pubs. This city has rich cultural offerings, both traditional and contemporary. And this fest aims to be a gateway to the cultural underpinnings of the city that are lesser known."

Modelled after global festivals like Edinburgh Festival, Unboxing BLR brings together high-profile events like the Bangalore Literature Fest, Bangalore Tech Summit, Kala Koota, Thindi Puram, Handmade crafts mela, Ranga Katte (Music, theatre, dance), Bangalore Design Week and more.

Nearly 500 events across the city have been planned throughout the 11 days of the fest, including film screenings, heritage walks, food fests and more. "There were things that showcased parts of the city's culture already happening, like the Bangalore Literature Fest, Tech Fest and so on. But they were happening in silos. They would also be held at different times of the year. So we decided to bring everything and everyone together under one umbrella," Goyal shares, adding, "We wanted it to be inclusive of all cultural aspects, from dance, to music, to theatre, literature, design, art and so on. Unboxing BLR Habba is like one large tent that brings together everyone working for the cultural vibrancy of the city, joining forces and then creating this mega event. It celebrates everything that Bengaluru can offer to not just its residents, but to the world at large."

CITY READ

Alumni organisation hosts tech summit

Pan IIT Alumni India announced the PIWOT- World of Technology, a summit fostering conference sessions, skill enhancement masterclasses, and more. The event is set to take place on December 8 and 9 at Taj, Yeshwantpur. The conference sessions have been designed to engage with global speakers about topics like digital first India, AI advancements and more including startup pitch sessions, masterclasses, startup exhibitions and fast-paced sessions to connect with potential investors and companies.

Kennel club to host Dog show

Silicon City Kennel Club will be conducting its 127th & 128th All-India Championship dog shows on December 2 and 3 in the hockey ground of Veterinary college, Hebbal. The event, which is set to begin at 9am, will feature around 500 pedigreed dogs from around 50 breeds such as akita, maltese, schnauzer, Siberian husky, Belgian shepherd dog, and more. The judges include Petru Muntean, vice president of the Romanian kennel club, T Preetham, secretary of the Bangalore Canine Club, and more.

BOOK NOOK

His Majesty's Headhunters - The Siege of Kohima that Shaped World History

By Mmhonlümo Kikon

Gives a view of Nagaland and its warriors, and uncovers the untold story of the siege, often known as the 'Stalingrad of the East' by Western scholars.

The Woman Back from Moscow

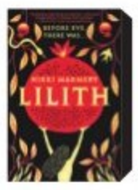
By Ha Jin

Through the life of a remarkable woman—based on pioneering stage director Sun Weishi (1921–1968)—this epic novel immerses us in the multifaceted history of China's Communist Party. A powerful, insightful account from the National Book Award-winning author, who came of age during the Cultural Revolution.

Absolution

By Alice McDermott

A riveting account of women's lives on the margins of the Vietnam War, written by Alice McDermott, the renowned winner of the National Book Award.



Lilith

By Nikki Marmery

Lilith is the story of the first woman, who was expelled from Paradise for disobedience. In this retelling of the Hebrew myth that justified and explained women's subjection to men, Lilith will have her revenge, however long it takes.

WHAT WHEN WHY WHERE

Laugh out loud

Spend a night watching some of Bengaluru's own hilarious comics such as R Kishore Yadav, Lalit Tyagi, and more.

WHEN: Nov 29, 8pm
WHERE: Cooper + Cloves, Indiranagar
DETAILS: bookmyshow.com

Comical night

Watch some veteran and newbie comics perform their witty, sarcastic and humorous material in a comfortable dhaba setting.

WHEN: Nov 29, 9pm
WHERE: The Bangalore Dhaba, Kalyan Nagar
DETAILS: bookmyshow.com

Jam session

Gather in a circle with music enthusiasts and shop off your talents, be it singing, playing instruments or both!

WHEN: Nov 29, 7.30pm **WHERE:** Lahe Lahe, Kodihalli **DETAILS:** bookmyshow.com

Indian tunes

Experience the sensational concert of Indian playback singer Hariharan where he will perform ghazals, a genre he is well-known for.

WHEN: Nov 30, 7pm
WHERE: Prestige Srihari Khoday Centre For Performing Arts, Konanakunte
DETAILS: bookmyshow.com

Cuisine gems

Experience the rich and yet undiscovered Sindhi cuisine curated by culinary expert Suresh Hinduja at this food festival.

WHEN: Nov 29
WHERE: La Utsav, Grand Mercure Bengaluru at Gopalan Mall, Swami Vivekananda Road
DETAILS: +91 9513289926

Sufi magic

Watch the renowned Nizami brothers perform magical Sufi music and be transported to a place of spiritual harmony and magnificent tunes.

WHEN: Nov 29, 9.30pm
WHERE: Tudum, Vasanth Nagar
DETAILS: bookmyshow.com

Drama time

Witness an ode to womanhood, sisterhood, empowerment and a dedicated battle against patriarchy through the lens of 3 middle-class women in *36 Satisavitri Nivasa*.

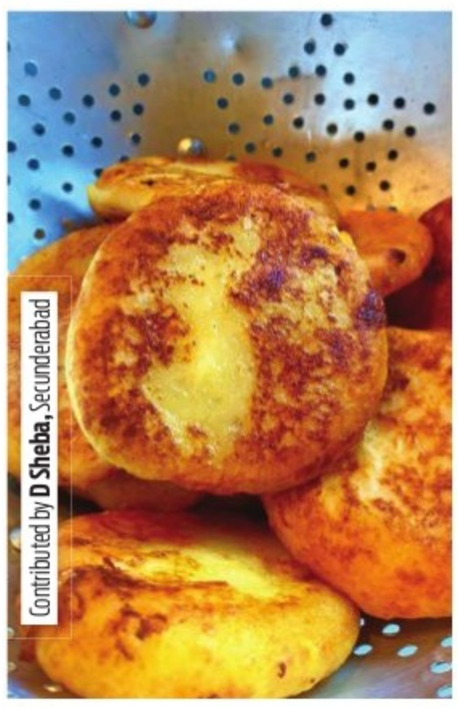
WHEN: Nov 29, 7.30pm
WHERE: Ranga Shankara, JP Nagar
DETAILS: bookmyshow.com

CERAMIC GLAZES

Artist Manisha Gopinath shows her glass glazed ceramics and stoneware in her exhibit Glazes of Nature at Gallery Time and Space on Tuesday | VINOD KUMAR T

QUICK FIX

POTATO PANCAKE



Contributed by **D Sheba**, Secunderabad

INGREDIENTS

- **Boiled potato:** 2
- **Salt:** 1 tsp
- **Flour:** 1/2 cup
- **Mixed herbs:** 1 tsp
- **Cheese:** 2 cubes

METHOD

- Mash two potatoes in a bowl, and to it add salt, mixed herbs, and flour, and mix well.
- Make small balls out of the mixed potato and put in cheese that is cut into small pieces.
- Flatten the mixture into small cakes.
- To a pan, add oil, and place these cakes in it.
- Fry them on both sides and then serve hot.

What's cooking in your kitchen?

We are hungry for recipes with minimum ingredients and maximum flavours. Share your quick-fix with us, along with step-by-step photos, at bengalurucityexpress@gmail.com

FIT BIT

ARDHA ANANDA BALASANA WALL

(HALF HAPPY BABY POSE WALL)

This is a variation of the original Half-Happy Baby Pose. Instead of having both knees drawn towards the chest as in the traditional pose, Ananda Balasana, this variation involves extending one leg up the wall while bending the other knee.

STEPS

- Lie down on your back facing a wall and extend your legs upwards, like in Viparita Karani.
- Ensure that the toes are facing forward and the heels are stretched upwards.
- Exhale, bend the left knee, and bring it towards the chest.
- Hold your left foot with your left hand and gently press it towards the chest.
- Extend the right leg against the wall and keep the right hand on the floor close to the body, with palms facing down.
- Make sure that the shoulders are firm on the ground.
- Hold the pose for 5-8 deep breaths, or as per your capacity.
- Repeat the pose on the other side using your right leg.
- To release, bring both the knees towards the chest, roll them to the right side, and come to Sukhasana Variation Arms Knees (Easy Pose Variation Arms Knees).

BENEFITS

- Stretches the hips and outer thighs.
- Helps in lengthening the spine.
- This asana eases the lower back tension.
- Stretches the chest and shoulders.
- Regula Regular practice of this pose helps relax the mind.
- Benefits senior citizens who experience stiffness and tightness in their hips and lower back.

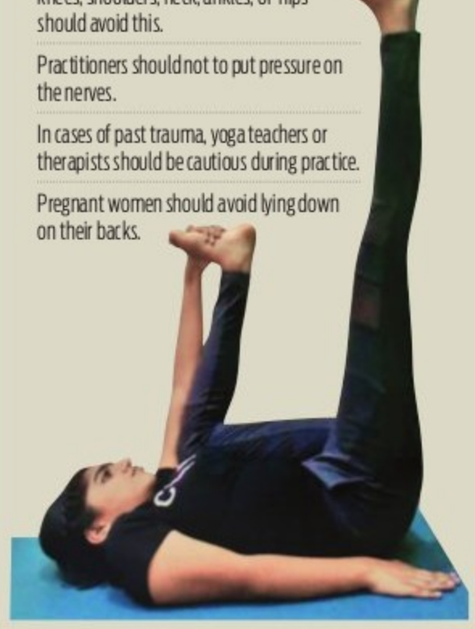
LIMITATIONS

Those who have any injuries to their knees, shoulders, neck, ankles, or hips should avoid this.

Practitioners should not to put pressure on the nerves.

In cases of past trauma, yoga teachers or therapists should be cautious during practice.

Pregnant women should avoid lying down on their backs.



By N Elumalai, PhD Scholar (Yoga Science) at Meenakshi Academy of Higher Education & Research, Chennai

NOW STREAMING

REGIONAL

PULIMADA (Malayalam)

News of a man-eating tiger terrifies a serene village near the wilderness, leading to a curfew and unrest. Police constable Vincent awaits his marriage with great excitement, but a shocking revelation shatters his world.

Cast: Joju George, Aishwarya Rajesh, Chemban Vinod Jose

- **Watch on:** Netflix

THEEP-PORI BENNY (Malayalam)

Vattakuttayil Chettayi is a selfless communist, but his son Benny loathes politics. However, Benny accidentally steps into the world of politics.

Cast: Arjun Ashokan, Femina George, Jagadish

- **Watch on:** Amazon Prime Video

83 (Hindi)

Cricketer Kapil Dev gets an opportunity to make his country famous on the world stage when he captains the Indian national cricket team at the 1983 Cricket World Cup.

Cast: Ranveer Singh, Deepika Padukone

- **Watch on:** Netflix

IRAIVAN (Tamil)

A city lives in fear of a psychotic killer, and confidence in the police wanes. Arjun and Andrew finally arrest the killer, but he escapes and chaos reigns again.

Cast: Nayanthara, Jayam Ravi, Rahul Bose

- **Watch on:** Netflix

KARUMEGANGAL KALAIGINDRANA (Tamil)

Two fathers from distinct age brackets and social backgrounds attempt to reunite with their daughters. A son seeks to redeem himself.

Cast: Yogi Babu, Aditi Balan, Bharathiraja

- **Watch on:** Amazon Prime Video

All the streaming apps can be accessed on smartphones and smart TVs with Internet connection.

VEDHA (Kannada)

A father and daughter embark on a killing spree in a bid to seek revenge against those who have wronged them. However, a police officer seeks to put an end to their murders.

Cast: Shiva Rajkumar, Ganavi Laxman, Aditi Sagar

- **Watch on:** ZEE5

MISS SHETTY MR POLISHETTY (Telugu)

Miss Shetty is a feminist living in London and wants to be single forever. Mr. Polishetty, from Hyderabad in Telangana, India, wants to be in a committed relationship. The two appear to be in different stages of life but somehow connect.

Cast: Anushka Shetty, Naveen Polishetty, Jayasudha

- **Watch on:** Netflix

FOREIGN

BELIEVER 2 (Korean)

A determined detective continues his search for the truth behind Asia's largest drug organisation and its elusive boss he has unfinished business with.

Cast: Seung Won Cha, Kin Dong Young, Andreas Fronk

- **Watch on:** Netflix

SEE YOU ON VENUS (English)

An 18-year-old orphaned girl wants to travel to Europe to track down her biological mother. When she meets a kind-hearted young man reeling from the guilt of a fatal accident, she convinces him to accompany her on the journey.

Cast: Virginia Gardner, Alex Aiono, Isabel Serrano

- **Watch on:** Netflix

ALL-TIME HIGH (French)

Trapped by his own lies to please the sublime Stella and ensure their lifestyle, Thiago commits little scams to keep up appearances. Unsurprisingly, when the masks fall (well, especially her wig), her life collapses. However, when he crosses paths with Stéphanie, on the verge of becoming extremely rich thanks to cryptocurrency, he regains confidence.

Cast: Nassim Lyes, Zoe Marchal, Adrian Essamir

- **Watch on:** Netflix

COCOMELON LANE (English, series)

The adventures of JJ and his friends as they experience life as little kids.

Cast: Diana Tsoy, Kesar Bharaj, Denzel Onaba, Samantha Alarcon,

- **Watch on:** Netflix

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Viki Ratuken:	₹299/month
Curiosity Stream:	₹415/month
SonyLIV:	₹299/month

BOOKS, BANTER & BEYOND

DESE GOWDA

The 12th edition of the Bangalore Literature Festival (BLF) is all set to kick off on Saturday, December 2, at The Lalit Ashok Bangalore. The two-day literary extravaganza is set to feature nearly 250 authors from around the world, including acclaimed writers such as Perumal Murugan, Chandrashekhara Kambara, Devdutt Pattnaik, and Gideon Haigh among others – as well as other notable personalities such as comedian Kanan Gill and actor Huma Qureshi.

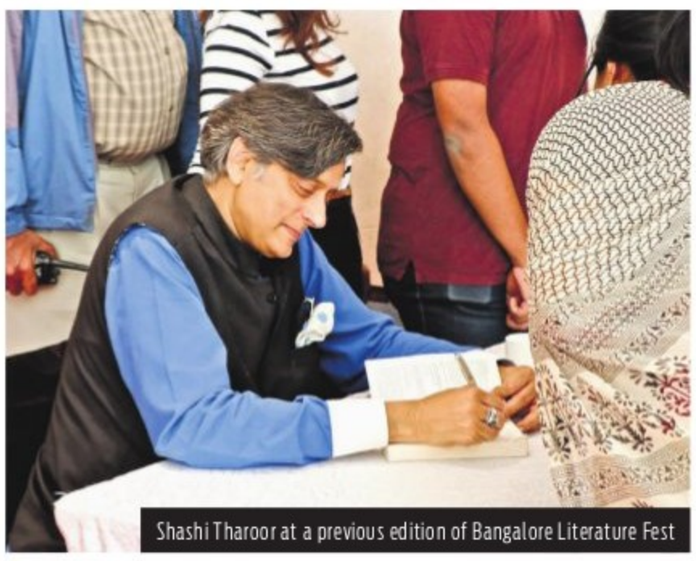
"It's a flamboyant lineup," shares co-founder and festival director Shinie Antony. "The keynote address is by Dr Abraham Verghese, who even has Oprah Winfrey as a fan. We have Sudha Murty, Ramachandra Guha, Daniel Bosley, Urvashi Butalia, and Ashwin Sanghi. Shashi Tharoor and his sister Smita Tharoor will give us a glimpse into their sibling's funship and their love for language. Premchand's granddaughter Sara Rai will be here too."

The upcoming edition of the fest is set to be the biggest in its decade-long history and will feature a diverse selection of sessions that is aimed at fostering fine reading and writing among the younger generations. Some of the themes of the sessions include crime, feminism, speculative fiction, artificial intelligence, mythology and more.

"The festival has evolved into an entity of its own. It goes beyond its organisers, curators, and visualisers. No one person can take credit for the festival's magic – it is a combination of its Chameleon-esque genes and that bit of abracadabra that just cannot be explained in words," Antony shares, adding "There is no hierarchy in literature, since it travels in all directions all at once, north-south-east-west. BLF has always seen that every genre get its due. So, while we look minutely at book covers and bookshops, as well as screenwriting, we also have poetry readings and in-depth sessions on translation and speculative fiction. When Kannada, Telugu, Tamil, Malayalam, Kashmiri, Urdu, German, French, and Turkish writers get together, the discussions can only be a layered confectionery!

Ramachandra Guha

Catch literary giants, young authors and more at the star-studded 12th edition of Bangalore Literature Fest this weekend


Shashi Tharoor at a previous edition of Bangalore Literature Fest

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>
> Shinie Antony, co-founder, Bangalore Literature Fest

Huma Qureshi

Crime, sci-fi, start-ups, ghosts, plus a stand-up by Anuvab Pal on lit-fests...So, no topic is taboo."

Meanwhile, like last year LitMart and ScreenLit – platforms for aspiring writers and screenwriters to pitch their ideas – are set to return. Similarly, children's litfest is also returning. "We have three venues for children, of all age groups. It promises to be a rollercoaster ride for tiny tots as well as young adults. From puppetry to singalongs, it is a breathless curation by Lakshmi Subodh, Vikram Sridhar and Sanjana Kapur," Antony adds.

Music also finds a special place in the festival, with performances by Kavish Seth and Avrina Prabala-Joslin, adding a melodious dimension to the literary celebration. Carnatic and Hindustani recitals start the day, with musical performances by Kavish Seth and Avrina Prabala-Joslin, as well as gamaka.

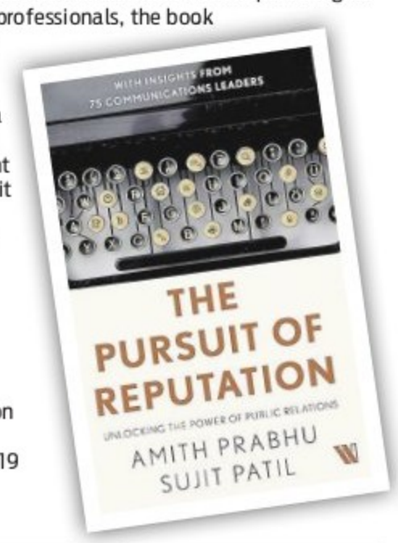
NUGGETS

Book based on the story of a 'fake Indian Premier League scam' released

Westland Books announced the release of their new book *Indian Punter League* authored by Abhishek Bhatt. Based on a true incident, Indian Punter League unravels the hawala money, clandestine meetings, discreet text channels, rookie players, camera crews and live streams beaming across the world to carry out a mastermind plan that crashed before it could reach its peak. Abhishek Bhatt is a media professional based in New York, with a career in film, television, news media, and more. This is his second novel. There are talks on the book to be converted into a web series, facilitated by literary agent Anish Chandy.

Book exploring the perception of reputation to be launched

Amith Prabhu and Sujit Patil, authors of *The Pursuit Of Reputation - Unlocking The Power Of Public Relations* will be at Atta Galatta, an Indiranagar-based bookstore, to speak about their book on December 1 at 4 pm onwards. The book addresses the shift in communication influenced by social media, influencers, and owned and paid media. PR professionals come into the picture by enhancing brand reputation, engaging stakeholders and driving impactful campaigns that resonate with consumers. With expert insights from 75 acclaimed PR professionals, the book summarises the art of thriving in India and the ever-shifting PR landscape and charts a path towards modern-day brand management in uncertain times. Sujit Patil is the vice president and head of corporate brand and communications at Godrej Industries and associate companies. Amith Prabhu is a pioneering public relations and reputation management professional with over 19 years of experience.



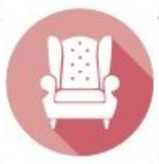
The absurd apolitical nature of urban Indians

(Writer, comedian)

India is a country that defies many rules. When we began to function as a nation, nobody gave us a chance to survive as a democracy. And yet, we did. For decades, they stereotyped us as the land of hermits and snake-charmers. Today, snakes have been replaced by python and java – as every tech company is helmed by an Indian. There are lots of things to be proud of as an Indian – but one fact leaves me flabbergasted. It is the absurd apolitical nature of urban Indians.

Growing up in Odisha, my first brush with politics was during the 2004 General Elections. There was a nation-wide suspense over who would be the next Prime Minister. Newspapers and news channels used their newly developed Photoshop skills to predict possible scenarios. I was instantly hooked. As soon as I could, I got myself a voter ID card and dived headlong into the Dance of Democracy. Imagine my surprise when I moved to a city, and found that my urban friends never bothered to vote. Discussing politics was considered 'uncool'. It was almost as if an unwritten rule had been set in place – that one must rise above politics to be a person of real substance. It was a shock for someone who always assumed that higher literacy rates automatically translated to higher voting rates. But India is more complicated than simple assumptions and direct correlations. Take Bengaluru for example – the city of gardens, startups, and beer – but Bengalureans fare terribly in voting rates.

So why does Urban India not care to vote? I have asked my city friends this question for more than a decade now. The answers always come with Multiple Choice Answers - 'How does it matter?', or the classic 'All parties are corrupt anyway'. Then you have the intellectual 'I don't believe elections are the solution to India's problems'. There's also the classic 'I can't stand in a long line' – unless of course it's the new iPhone model releasing, or a Taylor Swift concert. These are all, of course, terrible excuses.



The truth is, urban Indians consider politics to be below them. They regard elections and politics to be the refuge of poor people who are still dependent on the people in power. In our sparkling office spaces, we consider being apolitical to be a sign of evolution. But everything around is political. Art is political, films are political, politics is political. I can understand if Chinese or Saudi Arabians claimed to be apolitical, but for citizens of the largest democracy to say they are apolitical is a little tragic. It is akin to being an ostrich that buries its head in the sand and pretends that Bobby Deol is not the greatest actor who ever existed!

So how do we get urban Indians to vote? By using social media, obviously. Get Jhanvi Kapoor and Ananya Pandey to talk about the voting process. Create an app that delivers voter ID cards to people. Introduce scratch cards in the ballot process. But most importantly, explain to the masses that the Parliament and Assembly are nothing but large-scale *Bigg Boss* houses. Explain to them that independent candidates are wild card entries. For if there's one thing urban Indians love to vote for, it is for *Bigg Boss* nominations!!

(The writers' views are their own)

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I, SERVICE NO. JC- 313846Y NB SUB RIJHA DHAN, of unit: 191 FD COY 19 ENGR REGT, C/O 56 APO, PIN: 914019, Have Changed My Daughter Name **(OLD NAME) PRERANA DHAN** to **(NEW NAME) PRERNA DHAN,** Vide Affidavit Dated 27.11.2023 Sworn Before Notary S.I.BALAGURU BANGALORE

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **(OLD NAME) R. MAHADEVUDU** Father of NO. 15321170H HAV R. UMAPATHI, Residing at Door NO.1-134A, Perakuru (Vill), Yadamari (MD), Chittoor (Dist), ANDHRA PRADESH (State), PIN: 517422, Have Changed My Name to **(NEW NAME) R. MAHADEVAIAH,** Vide Affidavit Dated 20.11.2023 Sworn Before Notary MEER HASSAN BANGALORE

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **M.K. SANDHEEP** aged about 37 years, S/o. Muniswamy .K, Residing at No. 9, 1st Cross, 2nd Main, Brundavan Nagar, Tavarekere, Bangalore-560029, do hereby declare that my daughter's name is **A.S. KRRIYAA** and **A.S. KRRIYA** are the names of one and the same person and now I have changed my daughter's name as **A.S. KRRIYAA,** I state that in future in all my daughter's documents and other official documents and records and Identity Cards, Deeds, Dealings and all transaction whatsoever will be called and identified as **A.S. KRRIYAA** vide affidavit dated 27.11.2023, sworn to before A.S. Narayana Reddy, Advocate and Notary, Govt. of India, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **Ramanjanamma A,** D/o. Anjanappa B, Aged about 49 years, R/at No. 1077, 22nd Main, 24th Cross, A Block, Sahakarnagar, Bangalore - 560 092, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **RAMANJANAMMA** to **RAMANJANAMMA ANJANAPPA** and I submit that in my daughter while filing for her new passport she had mentioned my name has **Ramanjanamma A.** I further submit that, A is my surname and it has to be mentioned as **RAMANJANAMMA ANJANAPPA** in my daughter new passport. vide affidavit dated 28.11.2023 sworn to before R. Sulakshana, Advocate & Notary Public, Govt. of India, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **SALAMMA,** Aged about 66 years, S/o. Muniyappa, No. 214, 6th Cross, 4th Main, Bhavani Nagar, Banashankari 2nd Stage, Bengaluru - 560 070, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **SALAMMAL** to **SALAMMA** vide affidavit dated 27.11.2023 sworn to before B.M. Chandrashekar, Advocate & Notary Public, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **BINDIYA BALACHANDRA KATAPADY**, residing at No. 74, 27th Cross, 12th Main Road, Banashankari 2nd Stage, Bangalore-560070, have changed my name to **BINDIYA KATAPADY**, vide affidavit dated 27.11.2023, sworn before notary G. Dakshahini, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **RATENAMMA** spouse of No. 08023599H Ex Naik Late. Muddaiah, R/at No. G-3, Byraweshwara Nilaya, Vasanth Pura Road, behind A.G.S. Party Hall, Subramanyapura, Konanakunte Cross, Doddakallasandra, Bangalore South, Bangalore-560 062 have changed name from **RATENAMMA** to **RATHNAMMA,** vide affidavit dated 28-11-2023, before Notary **K.V. BACHI REDDY,** Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **PRIYANKA SHIVARAMAKRISHNAN** (Old Name) D/o Manoharan, R/at No. 335, 1st Stage, 4th Main, 5th Block, H.B.R. Layout, Kalyan Nagar, Bengaluru-560043, have changed my Old name **"PRIYANKA SHIVARAMAKRISHNAN"** to New name **"PRIYANKA .M (PRIYANKA MANOHARAN)"**, vide affidavit dated 27-11-2023, before the Notary **SIVAKUMARA .M.N,** Bangalore Metropolitan Area, for all official and Legal Purposes Particularly for Passport.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **SHASEKALLA,** W/o No. 14590305-X, Rank: NK, Name: Ganganna .H, R/at Dandinashivara Turuvekere, Ammasandra Tumkur, Karnataka-572215, have changed my name from **SHASEKALLA** to **SHASHIKALA,** vide affidavit dated 27-11-2023, before Notary **SIVAKUMARA .M.N** Bengaluru.

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I, **SREELATHA RAMAYAMMA,** aged about 53 years, W/o Krishna Kuma G, R/at 83 204 Ramky One North Doddbalapura Road, Near HMS IT Avalahally, Yelahanka, Bangalore-560064, Karnataka, India, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **SREELATHA KRISHNAKUMAR** to **SREELATHA RAMAYAMMA,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **SREELATHA RAMAYAMMA** only, vide affidavit dated 28-11-2023, sworn before Advocate and Notary **MOHAMMED HUSSAIN .K** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **Vaishnavi Priya** W/o. Barathan Chidambar, R/a. No. 82, Ward No. 23, Korvanadahalli Road, Marandahalli, Dharmapuri, Tamilnadu- 636806. I have changed my name from Vaishnavi Priya to **VAISHNAVA PRIYA B.** Vide affidavit date: 17.11.2023. Sworn Before Notary: **Mohammed Hussain K.**

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **LALITA KANAJI,** W/o Baswaraj Kanaji, age 60 years, R/o E-406, 4th Floor, Brigade Gteway, 26/1, Malleshwaram, Bengaluru-560 055, Karnataka, India do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **LALITHA BASWARAJ KANAJE** to **LALITA KANAJI,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **LALITA KANAJI** only for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 28-11-2023, sworn before Advocate and Notary **N.K. LAKSHMANA** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **(OLD NAME) ELIZABETH RANI** Spouse of NO. JC- 312809Y SUB D. PRAKASH BABU, Residing at House NO. 253, Old Colony, Melpudupakkam (Vill & Post), Kalavi (TK), Ranipet (Dist), TAMIL NADU (State), PIN: 632318, Have Changed My Name to **(NEW NAME) K. ELIZABETH RANI,** Vide Affidavit Dated 22.11.2023 Sworn Before Notary S.I. BALAGURU BANGALORE.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **(OLD NAME) R. KANNAMMA** Mother of NO. 15321170H HAV R. UMAPATHI Residing at Door NO. 1-134A, Perakuru (Vill), Yadamari (MD), Chittoor (Dist), ANDHRA PRADESH (State), PIN: 517422, Have Changed My Name to **(NEW NAME) R. KANAMMA**, Vide Affidavit Dated 17.11.2023 Sworn Before Notary MEER HASSAN BANGALORE

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **M.K. SANDHEEP** aged about 37 years, S/o. Muniswamy .K, Residing at No. 9, 1st Cross, 2nd Main, Brundavan Nagar, Tavarekere, Bangalore-560029, do hereby declare that **M.K. SANDHEEP** and **SANDEEP .M** are the names of one and the same person and now I have changed my name from **SANDEEP .M** to **M.K. SANDHEEP,** I state that in future in all my documents and other official documents and records and Identity Cards, Deeds, Dealings and all transaction whatsoever I will be called and identified as **M.K. SANDHEEP,** vide affidavit dated 27.11.2023, sworn to before A.S. Narayana Reddy, Advocate and Notary, Govt. of India, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **KANNAN MUNIYAPPA**, Aged about 39 years, S/o. Muniyappa, No. 214, 6th Cross, 4th Main, Bhavani Nagar, Banashankari 2nd Stage, Bengaluru - 560 070, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **KANNAN MUNIYAPPAN** to **KANNAN MUNIYAPPA** vide affidavit dated 27.11.2023 sworn to before B.M. Chandrashekar, Advocate & Notary Public, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **PARVATHI V** w/o late S. VENKATARAJU (also referred as Sagiraju Venkataraju), 67 years, No. 203/241, 4th Main, 11th Cross, Near Brigade Gate Way, Milk Colony, Bangalore–560055 state that my name and D. O. B. are incorrectly mentioned in my Government ID Cards, Bank Records etc., hence I declare that my correct name is **PARVATHI V** and my correct Date of Birth is **04-05-1956,** vide Affidavit Dated 27-11-2023 sworn to before H. H. NAGARAJ, Notary Public, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **HARISH C @ HARISH CHANDRAKANT**, S/o CHANDRAKANT .M, R/o. No. 8, 1st 'A' Cross, Chennakeshava Layout, Kacharakanahalli, Bengaluru - 560084, have changed my name to **HARISH NAICKER** for all purposes, Notary affidavit 28/11/2023.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **RAMA V.S. LAKSHMI MUKKAVILLI,** W/o Late Sunil Malthus Medithi, aged about 51 years, residing at No.8, I Floor, I Cross, Anjinappa Block, Krishnamma Garden, Benson Town, Bengaluru-560 046, I declare that my son **TANNMAI AARONN MEDITHI** my son's ICSE Marks & Pass Certificate his Parent's name mentioned as Father name **SUNIL MALTHUS** and Mother name **RAMA V.S. LAKSHMI** and Parent's names/surnames to be modified in the Certificate as Father name **SUNIL MALTHUS MEDITHI** and Mother name **RAMA V.S. LAKSHMI MUKKAVILLI,** vide affidavit dated 28/11/2023 sworn to before K.V.Bachi Reddy advocate and notary Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **KALAVATHI B SHETTY** (New Name) W/o Balakrishna N, aged about 43 years, resident of No.302, 2nd Floor, Akshay Residency, 1st Cross, Behind ICICI Bank, Balaji Nagar, Uttarahalli Main Road, Subramanyapura, Bangalore South, Bangalore -560061. Have changed my name from **KALAVATHI K (Old Name) to KALAVATHI B SHETTY (New Name)**, henceforth I shall be known and called **KALAVATHI B SHETTY** only for all purpose, vide Affidavit dated : 28/11/2023, sworn before Notary H.G.Padmanabha Rao, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, SERVICE NO JC-310747L SUB MAJ PANDETI SR PRASADRAJU Have Changed My Name **(OLD NAME) PANDETI SR PRASADRAJU** to **(NEW NAME) PANDETI S R PRASAD RAJU,** Vide Affidavit Dated 27.11.2023 Sworn Before Notary S.I. BALAGURU BANGALORE.

CHANGE OF NAME
We, **Mr. SHASHIKANT MAHABALSHETTI**, aged about 54 years, son of Late G.M. Mahabalshetti and **Mrs. RAJESHWARI .B .AKKI**, aged about 52 years, W/o Mr. Shashikant Mahabalshetti, both R/at No.S-1, No.86, Divinity, 9th Main Road, 4th Cross, Opp. Bengaluru One, R.P.C Layout, Hampinagar, Vijayanagar 2nd Stage, Bengaluru-560104, Karnataka, India, do hereby solemnly declare that we have changed our daughter's name from **NEHA SHASHIKANT MAHABALSHETTI** to **NEHA. S. MAHABALSHETTI**, vide affidavit dated 28.11.2023 sworn to before Advocate and Notary **H S Sakalesh Aradhya**, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **S. ANITA**, aged about 36 years, W/o. M.K. Sandheep, Residing at No. 9, 1st Cross, 2nd Main Brundavan Nagar, Tavarekere, Bangalore-560029, do hereby declare that my name was **ANITHA SANDEEP** and **S. ANITA** are the names of one and the same person and now I have changed my name as **S. ANITA,** I State that in future in all my documents and other official documents and records and Identity Cards, Medical Council documents, deeds, dealings, Insurance, Banks and all other transaction whatsoever will be called and identifies as **S. ANITA** vide affidavit dated 27.11.2023, sworn to before MOHAMMED HUSSAIN .K, Advocate and Notary, Govt. of India, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **MUNIYAPPA,** Aged about 76 years, S/o. Yarakappa, No. 214, 6th Cross, 4th Main, Bhavani Nagar, Banashankari 2nd Stage, Bengaluru - 560 070, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **MUNIYAPPAN** to **MUNIYAPPA** vide affidavit dated 27.11.2023 sworn to before B.M. Chandrashekar, Advocate & Notary Public, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **Rahul Ragunath Reddy** (Old Name) S/o. Raghunath Reddy aged about 37 years & R/at C003, Grand Andharva Apartment, 1st Main, Kenchenahalli, R. R. Nagar, Bengaluru, Karnataka - 560 098, have changed my name as **RAHUL REDDY** (New Name) vide affidavit dated 28.11.2023 sworn before Advocate & Notary Ravi, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **MOHAMED SUHAIB SHARIEFF** S/o **Mohamed Yakoob Sharief** R/at No.11/2, Cassurina Street, Thimmaiah Road Cross, HKP Road, Bharathinagar, Bengaluru-560051 have changed my name to **MOHAMMED SUHAIB SHAREEF** vide affidavit dated: 28/11/2023 Before Notary **A.Geraro** Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **RAMA V.S. LAKSHMI MUKKAVILLI,** W/o Late Sunil Malthus Medithi, aged about 51 years, residing at No.8, I Floor, I Cross, Anjinappa Block, Krishnamma Garden, Benson Town, Bengaluru-560 046, I declare that my son **NIRMAI JORDAN MEDITHI** my son's ICSE Marks & Pass Certificate his Parent's name mentioned as Father name **SUNIL MALTHUS** and Mother name **RAMA V.S. LAKSHMI** and Parent's names/surnames to be modified in the Certificate as Father name **SUNIL MALTHUS MEDITHI** and Mother name **RAMA V.S. LAKSHMI MUKKAVILLI,** vide affidavit dated 28/11/2023 sworn to before K.V.Bachi Reddy advocate and notary Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **SUDHESH RANI,** spouse of JC414277X Sub (Clk) Raghuveer Singh presently residing at Gunatha Vihar, J C Nagar, Bangalore-560006 have changed my name from **SUDHESH RANI** to **SUDESH RANI** vide affidavit No IN-KA41892013382081V dt. 15 Nov. 2023 at Bangalore.

'I AIM FOR CINEMATOGRAPHY THAT NEVER OVERPOWERS THE NARRATIVE'

...says Shwet Priya Naik, a debutant cinematographer, who is eagerly anticipating her launch in Kannada cinema. She discusses her journey with director Jayathirtha's Kaiva, starring Dhanveeerrah and Megha Shetty

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Cinematographer Shwet Priya Naik is making her debut with Jayathirtha's *Kaiva,* which is earning her a good name with the rushes so far. She strongly believes her journey into cinematography was a destined path right from her childhood. Her passion for capturing moments started during her school days, which had her spending vacations photographing with her parents, exploring history in Hampi, and earning accolades for documenting images of stone carvings.

"Back then, my mother wondered why I focused on inanimate objects," she recalls, adding, "But my fascination was with photographing stone carvings—that was my perspective. My attachment to the camera began then." After graduating in photography, Shwet was inspired by legendary cinematographers like Santhosh Sivan, Anil Mehta, and PC Sreeram, which steered her towards her passion.

Starting by assisting DOP Manohar Joshi and furthering her skills in Mumbai and doing a cinematography course in Singapore, she found opportunities in Yash Raj's team, working with her idols like Santhosh Sivan and Anil Mehta on films like *Sui Dhaaga*, and a few others. Transitioning into ad filmmaking kept her busy, but her desire to return home and work in Kannada cinema persisted. "I aimed to make my mark in Kannada cinema, and here I am starting my cinematography journey with *Kaiva*," says Shwet, who is from Belgaum, and is influenced by the essence of Malnad and North Karnataka. Shwet's experience as an NCC cadet also helped her in developing an appreciation for various heritage sites.

She is set to embark on this new journey with director Jayathirtha's *Kaiva,* which stars Dhanveeerrah and Megha Shetty as leads, and has music by Ajaneesh Loknath. "I didn't have many industry connections. In fact, it was through someone's introduction that I met Jayathirtha. Unknowingly, I'd seen and admired one of his films. I remember meeting him on March 8, 2022, to show him my work, and within a day, he approved my presence in his directorial venture. Any recognition I receive now is thanks to him. As a beginner, I hope the movie will speak for itself," says Shwet.

"I researched Jayathirtha and his vision, and understood that he emphasises realism in storytelling. This was an exciting challenge for me as a visual storyteller," says Shwet, adding, "He granted me considerable creative freedom. His appreciation for maintaining natural settings resonated with me, and it added authenticity and depth to the story. He even introduced me to some of the real characters, enabling a stronger connection to the narrative."

Set in 1983 Bengaluru, the film with themes of romance and crime, focusses on Tigalarapete and the Karga festival. Shwet shares that she researched all of these locations herself, and found Jayathirtha to be adept at exploring diverse layers and opportunities. "My passion for diverse cultures and fluency in five languages influenced my approach. As a Director of Photography, I aimed to transport audiences to that period while capturing its essence," she shared, highlighting their commitment to authenticity.

"For example, during the Karga festival scenes, we filmed the live event over three days without additional lighting, preserving its originality for archival purposes. I'm conscious of not misleading viewers," opines Shwet, who shares that working on Kaiva lead her to revisit classic films, particularly drawing inspiration from Puttana Kanagal.

"Capturing the crowd and choosing the right vantage point was pivotal for Kaiva. I have my own camera aesthetic, drawing from old films and connecting with the audience's tastes. Our discussions revolved around balancing story and visuals, and it was a new learning experience for me. Surviving in this field means continually evolving," shares Shwet.

Set in a retro era, the theme balanced modernity and the past. "My mentor's advice—'You may not own the property, but every millimeter of the frame is yours'—guides my work. I aim for cinematography that complements rather than overpowers the narrative," she concluded.

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– Shwet Priya Naik, cinematographer

At Kaiva pre-release event

Darshan presented with a Punganur calf at *Kaiva* trailer launch

The *Kaiva* pre-release event was a star-studded affair, attended by celebrated actors such as Darshan, Asha Bhat, Abishek Ambareesh, and Chikkanna. Darshan launched the trailer amidst much fanfare. While he extended the wishes to the team, the Challenging Star urged the crowd, who had gathered in huge numbers, to support Kannada cinema. He also advised against wasting milk on cutouts, proposing it be given to dogs instead. The film, starring Dhanveerrah and Megha Shetty, marks the director's mass-genre debut rooted in Tigalarapete's reality. Both actors expressed their enthusiasm about being part of the film. Jayathirtha mentioned the film's collaboration with five directors, who have faced the camera for his film will be a unique experience for the audience. The ensemble cast includes Dhanveerrah, Megha Shetty, Jahnavi Rayal, Ashwin Hassan, Dinakar Thoogudeepa, Giriraj, Raghu Shivamogga, Nandagopal, and Ugram Manju. Notably, Dhanveerrah, an ardent Darshan fan, presented him with a Punganur calf, affectionately named 'Shok Dhar' by Darshan at the event.

Dhanveerrah and Darshan

CHILD'S PLAY

NAMRATA JOSHI

CINEMA WITHOUT BORDERS

In this weekly column, the writer introduces you to powerful cinema from across the world

Film: Hanging Gardens

One of the seven wonders of the ancient world, the Hanging Gardens of Babylon, are often invoked and celebrated for being a beautiful engineering marvel. Ahmed Yassin Al-Daradji's Iraq-Palestine-Saudi Arabia-UK-Egypt co-production, *Hanging Gardens* is set in as fascinating a backdrop, only here the architecture is that of the waste in the outskirts of Baghdad. Ironically nicknamed Hanging Gardens, they have also been dumping grounds for the remains of the US invasion in the Baghdad war of 2003.

The hills of garbage spread on the screen feel like works of installation art. Nothing much happens here other than some impoverished kids growing up, eking a living in the debris. One of them is a war orphan, 12-year-old Assad (Hussain Muhammad Jalil), who, along with his elder brother Taha (Wissam Diyaa), works as a garbage sifter and collector of recyclable metal and plastic for the junk dealer Haji (Jawad Al Shakarji).

He also trades in girlie magazines and pictures for some welcome cash, which makes Taha rebuke him for doing the haram (taboo) thing even as they are barely able to survive by sticking to the halal (permitted) way of life. Taha himself has a secret: spying on a woman neighbour through a hole in their brick wall.

One day, Assad chances upon a sex doll left behind by the American soldiers takes her under his wings and looks after her like a human being, bathing and dressing her up, buying clothes for her and finding her a safe space to be in. He even gives her a name—Salwah—meaning both comfort and salvation, qualities that she comes to personify in her own way.

At the core of the film is this unusual bond between a child and a mannequin. There may be nothing overly wanton about their relationship, however, having said that, even as Assad deeply cares for her, he also makes her the conduit for sexual awakening and fulfilment of the repressed adolescents and adults around him. He starts a unique profitable venture with lusty men readily queuing up to take a chance with Salwah. There's much black humour—a lot of it to do with a star-spangled bikini—that comes to underline the dreariness. However, running parallel with the track of an inanimate figurine being put to service for men is the shrouded, dark and intense one, about the spectre of honour killings with yet another one of the several real women found dead at the altar of patriarchy.

The film then becomes a means to probe and critique issues of politics, business, religion, fundamentalism, gender, machismo and war and posits humanism, like that of Assad, as an antidote to all that is wrong in the world. Al-Daradji dwells on the theme of friendship, rivalry and enmity, both eventually seeming like the two sides of the same coin. He also explores the idea of pollution—be it the noxious air of the dumping ground, the moral corruption and degradation of the society or the lost innocence of a child.

Al-Daradji's debut feature is powered by a great ensemble of non-professional actors, especially Jalil as the vulnerable yet shrewd Assad. Several film festivals and awards later, it is now Iraq's powerful entry at the upcoming Academy Awards.

What it leaves you with is a deep sense of empathy and compassion. One cannot help but feel deeply for the children, growing up amid the rubble, finding homes in busted tanks and run-down vehicles, sifting for riches—be it a pair of binoculars, girlie magazines and pictures or an inert mannequin—in the scrap. Hanging Gardens is about rummaging for life in the remnants of death.

Agni's directorial *Journey* begins

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Agni, an actor who has also worked in serials, has now turned director, marking his debut with a film titled *Journey*, a project that recently commenced with a muhurat. According to the first-timer, he is helming a story about five friends post-college, promising entertainment from start to finish. It is going to be a vibrant entertainer, blending comedy and emotions. "The narrative has shaped up wonderfully, and we are re planning to film in places like Hassan and Bengaluru," says Agni, whose film will be headlined by a fellow newcomer, Dini.

"*Journey* is a vibrant entertainer blending comedy with emotions. The film will be produced by Hariprasad Naayak, with Shashank Sheshagiri composing the music. The makers, who are planning to begin shooting in early December, will reveal the rest of the cast and technicians closer to the film going on floors.

Agni and Dini

Timothy Olyphant joins the *Alien* spinoff series

ACTOR Timothy Olyphant, who was recently seen in the *Star Wars* spinoff series *The Mandalorian*, has become the newest addition to the upcoming *Alien* spinoff series. Created by Noah Hawley, the series is set as a prequel to Ridley Scott's *Alien* franchise.

While details regarding Olyphant's character in the series have not been disclosed, reports suggest that the *Fargo* actor will play a synth (an artificial human) who acts as a trainer to Sydney Chandler's character in the series.

Apart from Olyphant and Hawley, the cast of the series also includes Alex Lawther, Samuel Blenkin, Essie Davis, Adarsh Gourav, and Kit Young. While the production of the series has been put on hold due to the writers strike in Hollywood, the makers report that they will resume filming in early 2024.

On the other hand, Olyphant will next be seen in the horror-thriller film *Havoc*, which is written and directed by Gareth Evans.